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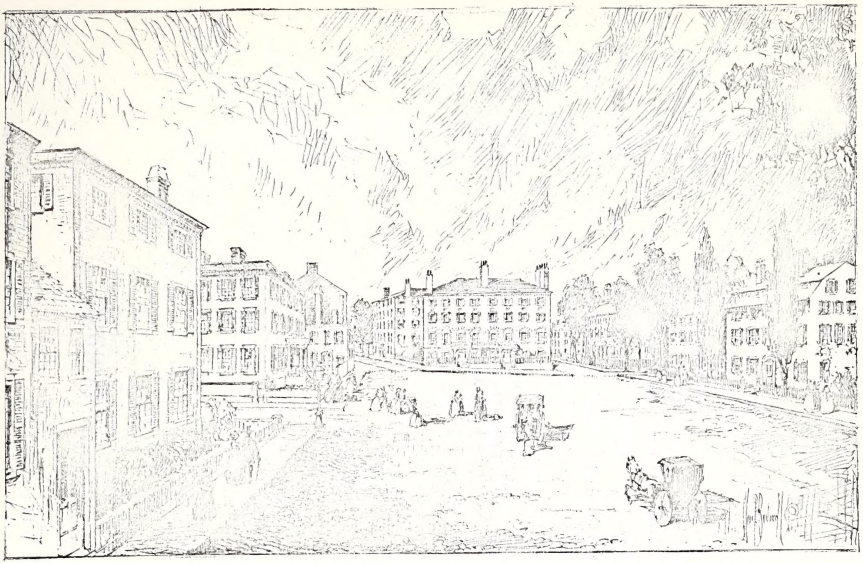

Bowdoin Square, Boston 1825.

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Committee on Publications

John W. Farwell — Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.

Albert Matthews — James M. Hunnewell

The Clerk

BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

FORTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

THE Forty-first Annual Meeting of the Bostonian Society was held in the Council Chamber of the Old State House, Boston, on Tuesday, January 17, 1922, at 3 P. M., in accordance with a notice mailed to every member. The President, Grenville H. Norcross, occupied the chair.

The records of the last monthly meeting were read and approved, and the following Reports were presented:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

To the Members of the Bostonian Society:

Your Directors have the honor of presenting their Annual Report for the past year:

MEMBERSHIP

At the close of the year there were in the Society:

Honorary Members	3
Life Members	724
Annual Members	536
Making a total of	1,263

A comparison of this record with that of one year ago shows that the Society has gained twenty-seven members.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

The Annual Meeting and five Monthly Meetings of the Society have been held during the past year; the April and May meetings were omitted on account of the fire in the Old State House on April 13 last.

January 18: Annual Reports of the Directors, the Treasurer and the Committees. Also "Old Boston," by the late Edwin M. Bacon; with lantern slides; by the Clerk.

February 15: "John Wise, Preacher of the Commonwealth"; by Sherwin L. Cook.

March 15: "The Boston of Charles Bulfinch"; with lantern slides; by Miss Martha A. Shannon.

October 18: "Gilbert Stuart as an Historian"; with lantern slides; by Frank W. Bayley.

November 15: "The Unpublished Lafayette Letters in the Library of the Bostonian Society"; with lantern slides; by Horace H. Morse.

December 20: "The Lawrence School, South Boston, 1842–1921"; by Amos M. Leonard, Master Emeritus.

NECROLOGY

During the past year we have learned of the deaths of the following forty-two members of the Society:

Mrs. Julia Coolidge, born in Boston, August 4, 1841, died in Boston, January 6.

Francis Inman Amory, born in Boston, June 5, 1850, died in New York, N. Y., January 7.

Barnabas Thacher Morrison, born in Burlington, Vt., July 21, 1861, died in Pasadena, Calif., January 7.

Fitzroy Kelly, born in Frankfort, Me., December 14, 1847, died in Boston, January 10.

Albert Eaton, born in Bridgewater, August 29, 1844, died in Boston, January 18.

John Bouvé Clapp, born in Cambridge, August 31, 1855, died in Dorchester, February 5.

Dudley Bowditch Fay, born in Boston, January 31, 1860, died in Boston, February 7.

Barrett Wendell, born in Boston, August 23, 1855, died in Boston, February 8.

John Edward Gilman, born in South Boston, December 22, 1844, died in Boston, February 20.

Charles Latham Hayward, born in Boston, September 19, 1846, died in Roxbury, February 20.

William Eben Stone, born in Walpole, November 27, 1845, died in Cambridge, February 23.

Herbert Foster Otis, born in Boston, September 2, 1861, died in Brookline, March 24.

Charles Augustus Dean, born in Shrewsbury, June 15, 1844, died in Captiva, Fla., March 30.

Seth Augustus Fowle, born in Boston, March 27, 1840, died in Needham, April 20.

Melville Madison Bigelow, born in Eaton Rapids, Mich., August 2, 1846, died in Brookline, May 4.

James Reed, born in Boston, December 8, 1834, died in Boston, May 21.

Prescott Farnsworth Hall, born in Boston, September 27, 1868, died in Brookline, May 28.

George Edward Gilchrist, born in Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 30, 1849, died in Melrose, May 30.

Charles Pickering Bowditch, born in Boston, September 30, 1842, died in Jamaica Plain, June 1.

Laurence Minot, born in West Roxbury, May 19, 1865, died in Boston, June 4.

Albert Henry Stearns, born in Waltham, August 15, 1844, died in Pawtucket, R. I., June 5.

Nathaniel Atwood Francis, born in Brookline, September 25, 1859, died in Boston, June 10.

Charles Eliot Loud, born in Weymouth, September 22, 1867, died in Marblehead, June 11.

Mrs. Emeline Martha Sprague, born in Boston, June 13, 1834, died in Cape Elizabeth, Me., June 13.

Elmer George Foster, born in Shattuck, N. H., September 1, 1851, died in Brookline, June 21.

Charles Henry Taylor, born in Charlestown, July 14, 1846, died in Boston, June 22.

Watson Shields Dolliver, born in Auburndale, September 26, 1863, died in Cambridge, June 25.

Charles Sherburne Penhallow, born in Portsmouth, N. H., May 10, 1852, died in Magnolia, July 3.

Clarence Howard Knight, born in Boston, September 1, 1848, died in Cape Porpoise, Me., July 26.

Charles Barney Cory, born in Boston, January 31, 1857, died in Ashland, Ill., July 29.

Robert Shaw Sturgis, born in Manila, P. I., November 21, 1854, died in Nahant, July 31.

Frank Ernest Woodward, born in Damariscotta, Me., January 2, 1853, died in Brookline, August 5.

John Endicott Peabody, born in Salem, January 6, 1853, died in Brookline, August 18.

Henry Oliver Underwood, born in Belmont, March 29, 1857, died in Nantucket, August 22.

Increase Eldredge Noyes, born in Jay, Me., March 26, 1834, died in Cambridge, September 1.

Francis Peleg Sprague, born in Washington, D. C., February 17, 1834, died in Boston, October 10.

George Lambert Gould, born in Woburn, February 6, 1852, died in Malden, October 29.

Rosewell Bigelow Lawrence, born in Medford, January 31, 1856, died in Medford, November 2.

William Elias Litchfield, born in Cohasset, August 1, 1861, died in Dorchester, November 19.

Mrs. Amelia Daniell Hockley, born in Boston, January 4, 1843, died in Boston, November 24.

Nelson Slater Bartlett, born in Boston, April 11, 1848, died in Boston, December 23.

Miss Alice Farnsworth, born in Boston, December 20, 1845, died in Boston, December 24.

Frank Ernest Woodward, who died August 5, had served the Society for several years as a member of the Committee on Memorials; he took great interest in historical matters and had also been President of the Massachusetts Society, Sons of the American Revolution.

The Bay State Historical League has held four meetings, at all of which the Society was well represented by delegates and other members; these meetings were held with the New England Historic Genealogical Society in Boston on January 15, with the Arlington Historical Society April 30, with the Hingham Historical Society on June 25 (the Annual

Meeting) and on September 24 with the Pilgrim Society and Plymouth Antiquarian Society.

On February 22 your President, Mr. Manning, and Mr. Read were guests of the Mercantile Library Association in its building on Tremont and West Newton streets, at the meeting and dinner celebrating the Centennial of the organization. On Wednesday, June 8, the President and Clerk attended the exercises of inauguration of Professor Ernest Fox Nichols as President of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. On the evening of October 25 the Clerk and Mr. Silsby represented the Society by appointment at the reception given by the Worcester Historical Society at the reopening of its building after repairs and rearrangement.

As has been the custom for several years the Declaration of Independence was read on the Fourth of July from the balcony overlooking Norman Prince Square by Saul Levitan, a pupil of the English High School, by appointment of Mayor Peters. On Saturday, December 24, Christmas music was played on the balcony at noon by four trumpeters from the First Corps Cadets, Massachusetts National Guard, specially detailed for the purpose by Col. Harold Blanchard, Commanding Officer of the Corps. This has become a recognized part of the Christmas celebration and is much appreciated by the large number who annually gather in State Street to hear the music.

Attention should be called to the two beautiful flags given to the Society in December; the United States flag by James Melville Hunnewell in memory of his father, James Frothingham Hunnewell, the second President of the Society from 1907 to 1910, and the flag bearing the seal of the Bostonian Society given by Courtenay Guild in memory of his father, Curtis Guild, first President of this Society, who served in that office for twenty-five years from 1881 to 1906. These flags were unfurled for the first time at the University Club on December 2, the fortieth anniversary of the incorporation of this Society, where the Directors and members of the Committee were the guests of the President at luncheon.

On the evening of Wednesday, April 13, the attic rooms and roof of the Old State House were badly damaged by fire, and it

was necessary to omit the April and May meetings and to close the exhibition rooms during the entire summer. Owing to the promptness and careful work of the Fire and Protective departments and of the Police force, the loss to our Society was comparatively small, and we were well insured. The largest expense was for restoring the pictures and frames that had been injured by heat and smoke. The City and State have repaired the building, and the Society was able to hold its October meeting as usual in the Council Chamber.

For the Directors,

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
President.

OLD STATE HOUSE,
Boston, January 17, 1922.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ROOMS

The Committee on the Rooms reports as follows:

Charles H. Taylor, a Director, has given to the Society two oil paintings, one of our Boston, the other of Boston, England. The first shows a review of the Boston Lancers on the Common by Gov. Edward Everett on August 30, 1837. It was painted by Charles Hubbard of Boston. The other is a view of the Water Front of Boston, England, and is entitled "The Water Front of Old Boston." The name of the artist is unknown.

We have received from Frederick Brooks, a member, two hand-colored photographs of drawings of the Kirk Boott mansion which from 1806 until 1847 graced Bowdoin Square, then attractive as a residential part of Boston. In the latter year some of its walls became a part of the Revere House, a famous hotel of its time, where were entertained President Grant, the Prince of Wales, the Emperor of Brazil and others of note. The year 1919 saw the demolition of the famous hostelry and the vacant site still awaits development.

Henry A. Phillips, a member, has given the Society six photographs which he made of the remaining portion of the Province House. They show the eastern end of which a great chimney was the principal feature.

THE BOOTT HOUSE, BOWDOIN SQUARE

The Collections are in process of rearrangement from the upheaval caused by the recent fire; however, the beneficial conditions resulting from the same are well worth the attendant inconvenience.

During the past year the sum of $747.04 has been expended for the care of the Rooms and the Society has received $162.28 from the sale of prints and Town House Books.

For the Committee,

Francis H. Manning,
Charles H. Taylor,
Courtenay Guild,
Joseph G. Minot,
Henry W. Cunningham,
The President and the Clerk, *ex-officiis*.

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1921.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S COLLECTIONS, 1921

Donors	Descriptions
Binney, Horace	A share of stock in the Exchange Coffee House, issued February 28, 1812, to Benjamin Ruggles; signed by Harrison Gray Otis, President and Thomas Dean, Treasurer.
Brooks, Frederick	Two colored photographs of the Kirk Boott House, Bowdoin Square; erected in 1806; demolished 1847, a portion of the walls being incorporated in the Revere House; front and rear views.
Brown, William Cutter	A photograph of State Street showing the Merchants Exchange; made about 1855.
Comstock, William O.	A bronze medal commemorative of the sixtieth anniversary of the organization of the Boston Numismatic Society and the Tercentenary of the Landing of the Pilgrims.
Drew, Edward H.	A banner inscribed "Dorchester Railsplitters' Battalion No. 1," used in the Lincoln and Hamlin Presidential Campaign, 1860; from the donor and his brothers, as sons of Samuel S. Drew of Dorchester, who carried the banner in the above campaign.
Green, Miss H. S.	A Franklin school medal.
Guild, Chester	Photographs of two buildings which successively stood at the corner of Prince and Snowhill Streets.
Hall, John E.	A cane made of wood from the Charlestown Bridge; opened in 1785.
Jenks, Charles W.	A framed steel engraving of Boston, painted by J. W. Hill, engraved by C. Mottram; given in memory of Henry F. Jenks, a charter member of the Society.
Lovell, F. W.	A folding coin scale for weighing English money.
Norcross, Grenville H.	Two airplane photographs of Boston. A lithograph of the Harvard Monument in the Charlestown Burying Ground.

Donors	Descriptions
Palmer, Goodwin	A banner inscribed on the obverse side "Boston Young Men's Whig Club, May 1, 1848. Our cause is just, our union is perfect." Inscribed on the reverse side "Circulate the documents. The youth is the time for action. No abuse of power." A banner inscribed "Total Abstinence Society. Instituted December 1, 1841." A baton used at a political meeting of fifty thousand citizens on Bunker Hill, September 10, 1840, to protest against "a worthless, contemptible and ruinous administration." A baton used at the Harrison Inauguration Ball in Faneuil Hall, March 4, 1841.
Phillips, Henry A.	Six photographs of the remaining portion of the Province House.
Read, Charles F.	Two photographs of the Winter Street Congregational Church and the Bedford Street English High and Public Latin School Building.
Reardon, John	A miscellaneous collection of letters, programs and documents.
Seamans, Mrs. Francis A.	A photograph of Otis Tufts, inventor of the elevator.
Taylor, Charles H.	An oil painting inscribed "The Water Front of Boston, England." An oil painting by C. Hubbard of a review of the Boston Lancers on the Common by Gov. Edward Everett, August 30, 1837. An ancient hair trunk, formerly owned by Capt. Thomas Seward of Boston. A miscellaneous collection of photographs, documents, books, and business cards and bills.
Torrey, Charles	A photograph of an oil painting by Salmon, of the buildings which formerly stood on the Ballard Estate, Bromfield Street.
Underwood, Miss Sophia A.	A photograph of the English High School Battalion, out under the "Old Elm" on Boston Common.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY

The Committee on the Library herewith submits its report for 1921:

During the year there have been added to the Library twenty-four volumes and twenty-seven pamphlets and of these mention is made of the following: The State Street Trust Company has given the second and concluding portion of the publication entitled: "Towns of New England, Old England, Ireland and Scotland." This attractive work has been issued in commemoration of the Tercentenary of the Landing of the Pilgrims in 1620.

The Library has received from the Massachusetts Historical Society the reprint of the Journal of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, covering the years 1715 to 1720 in two volumes, and the Colonial Society of Massachusetts has given volume XXII of its publications.

The Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities has given two issues of its bulletin entitled "Old Time New England," and from President Norcross we have received the last issue of the Harvard Graduates Magazine.

From James Elry, an honorary member, the Society has received a copy of Thompson's "History and Antiquities of Boston, England." In a letter to the President of the Society he writes: "I have sent by this mail a copy of the History of our English Boston, which I trust will reach you in good condition. Doubtless, you now have more than one copy, but I trust this one will not be superfluous; at least it may be useful for lending."

There have been purchased during the year, from the income of the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund, the following books: "With Lafayette in America" by Octavia Roberts, "The Life of Artemas Ward" by Charles Martyn, "The Maritime History of Massachusetts" by Samuel Eliot Morrison, "Thomas Starr King" by Charles W. Wendte, "Crowding Memories" by Mrs. Thomas Bailey Aldrich, "Boston Common; Scenes from Four Centuries" by M. A. DeWolf

Howe and the "Life and Letters of Henry L. Higginson" by Bliss Perry.

The Committee congratulates the Society on the escape of the Library from destruction in the fire which occurred in the Old State House on April 13th, last. As the fire was confined to the attic story by the efficient work of the Boston Fire Department, not a book nor pamphlet was destroyed nor even damaged by water. This latter result was doubtless obtained by the metal bookcase coverings, which, at the suggestion of Mr. John W. Farwell, a Director of the Society, were installed several years ago.

There has been expended during the past year for binding of books and for clerical work the sum of $112.90.

At the close of the year the James Lyman Whitney Fund amounted to $597.84. The annual income of the fund is now sufficient to place in the Library each year an appreciable number of books relating to the history of Boston and its distinguished citizens.

For the Committee,

FITZ-HENRY SMITH, JR.,
WALTER K. WATKINS,
WILLIAM G. SHILLABER,
PERCIVAL MERRITT,
HENRY W. LAMB,
THE CLERK.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1921.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S LIBRARY, 1921

Donors	Volumes	Pamphlets
Boston Medical Library		1
Boston Public Library		4
Brookline Historical Society		1
Class of 1865, Harvard College	1	
Class of 1870, Harvard College	1	
Colonial Society of Massachusetts	1	
Essex Institute		5
Guindon, Fred A.	1	
Historical Society of Old Newbury	1	
Massachusetts Historical Society	1	
Massachusetts Pilgrim Tercentenary Commission	2	
Medford Historical Society		4
National Society; Sons of the American Revolution		1
New England Historic Genealogical Society		5
Norcross, Grenville H.	3	
Providence Public Library		1
Purchased	9	
Roxbury Historical Society		1
Sheldon, Mrs. George		1
Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities		2
State Street Trust Co.		1
Taylor, Charles H.	4	
Total	24	27

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

The Committee on Publications reports as follows for the current year.

The picture selected for a frontispiece is a view of Bowdoin Square as it appeared in 1825, almost a century ago. It may be appropriately called a new picture of old Boston, for it shows that locality when it was composed wholly of private houses and was a residential district, the peer of any in Boston, then recently become a city.

The view shows the Boott mansion, the Parkman and Shaw houses and the residences of Charles Bulfinch and Samuel T. Armstrong. It was drawn by William P. Bodwell, a member, and is another example of the artistic work which he has so generously done for the Society.

The Kirk Boott mansion is also beautifully pictured in the report of the Committee on the Rooms. It is a copy of a hand-colored drawing of the house, which is in the possession of one of his descendants. We are indebted to Frederick Brooks, a member, for this gift.

For the Committee,

John W. Farwell,
Albert Matthews,
Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.
James M. Hunnewell,
The Clerk.

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1921.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

The Committee on Memorials reports as follows for the present year:

This year is probably the last one in which may be seen the little that remains of the famous Province House. This vestige is the ancient chimney of the house and it constitutes the last relic of Colonial Boston. The mansion was erected in 1679 by Peter Sargent, a wealthy merchant of the town, and after his death in 1714 was the official residence of the Governors of the Province of Massachusetts Bay.

During the coming year the playhouse to be known as the Province Theatre is to be built on the site. The owner and architects have promised that a portion of the ancient chimney shall be re-erected on the Province Court wall of the theatre as an architectural feature and as a relic of Boston in its earliest days.

The Committee hopes that when the reconstruction of Charles Street is finished a tablet may show the passer-by where once stood the house of Gov. John Albion Andrew, in which at a comparatively early age he suddenly passed from life to death. He is surely worthy of a memorial of enduring bronze.

The Committee deeply regrets the death of a member, Mr. Frank E. Woodward, during the year. Although engrossed in business affairs, he was a student of American history, especially of the Revolutionary period, and had often addressed historical societies.

For the Committee,

COURTENAY GUILD, BOYLSTON A. BEAL,
THE CLERK.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1921.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

The Committee on Finance herewith reports for the year 1921:

At the close of the year 1920 the Permanent Fund of the Society amounted to $67,671.84.

During the present year the fund has been increased by the life membership fees of thirty-six new members, amounting to $1,080, the receipt of $1,000, on account, of a legacy under the will of Mrs. Caroline F. Sanborn, a member at the time of her death, and by an increase of $43.85 in the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund.

Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland bonds of the value of $2,000 have matured during the year.

The Committee has purchased Third Liberty 4¼ per cent bonds of the value of $2,500 at a cost of $2,263.50; New York Telephone 6 per cent bonds of the value of $2,000 at a cost of $2,037.50; a $1,000 Detroit Edison 7 per cent bond at a cost of $1,030 and a $1,000 Western Telegraph and Telephone 5 per cent bond at a cost of $920.

At the close of the year the Permanent Fund amounts to $70,082.37. Of this amount $69,300 is invested in securities, the James Whitney Lyman Library Fund, deposited in the Franklin Savings Bank, amounts to $597.84 and there is deposited in the New England Trust Co., an uninvested balance of $184.53.

The Society gratefully acknowledges the generous appropriation of $4,000, made by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts towards the renovation of the Old State House after the fire which occurred April 13, 1921. This money was expended by the Vice-President and Clerk, acting as a Committee.

For the Committee,

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS, FRANCIS H. MANNING,
COURTENAY GUILD.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1921.

Dr. CHARLES F. READ, *Treasurer*, in account with the BOSTONIAN SOCIETY Cr.

CURRENT ACCOUNT

1921			1921			
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$77 63	Dec. 31	Salaries	$4,500 00	
Dec. 31	522 Annual Assessments	2,610 00		Committee on Rooms; electric lighting and miscellaneous	747 04	
	Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,500 00		Committee on Library; binding, clerical work and miscellaneous	79 50	
	Marine Museum	520 00		Committee on Publications; Annual Proceeding, 1921, and miscellaneous	465 66	
	Income from Permanent Fund	3,000 00		Committee on Membership; circular letters, postage and miscellaneous	314 50	
	Interest from the New England Trust Co	67 86		F. W. Bayley and Son; renovation of oil portraits and paintings	1,342 50	
	Sales of Publications and Souvenirs	274 53		T. W. Norman Co.; renovation of framed photographs and prints	1,063 00	
	From insurance companies in adjustment of loss by fire on April 13	2,548 22		Printing notices and circulars	292 50	
	A Gift from Frank G. Webster	100 00		Insurance	385 09	
		$10,698 24		Postage and postal cards	310 00	
				Repairs on furniture and miscellaneous	840 52	
				Expended in petty cash	327 53	
				Balance in the New England Trust Co.	30 40	
					$10,698 24	

December 31, 1921.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

Dr. PERMANENT FUND Cr.

1921			1921		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co	$2,317 85	Jan. 12	$2,500 Third Liberty bonds; bought	$2,263 50
May 31	Gain on Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Joint 4% bonds; paid	116 25		Accrued interest and commission	37 35
Oct. 29	Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland bonds; paid	2,000 00	Dec. 19	$2,000 New York Telephone Co. bonds; bought	2,037 50
Nov. 8	Legacy under the will of Mrs. Caroline F. Sanborn; on account	1,000 00		Accrued interest and commission	29 00
Dec. 31	36 Life Membership Fees	1,080 00		$1,000 Detroit Edison Co. bond; bought	1,030 00
	Income of investments	3,017 61		Accrued interest and commission	28 33
				$1,000 Western Telephone and Telegraph Co. bond; bought	920 00
				Commission	1 50
			31	Transfer of income to Current Account	3,000 00
				Balance in the New England Trust Co	184 53
		$9,531 71			$9,531 71

December 31, 1921.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

James Lyman Whitney Library Fund

Dr.			Cr.		
1921			1921		
Jan. 1	Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank	$553 99	Dec. 31	Purchases of books	$48 15
Dec. 31	New England Trust Co.; trustee	66 85		Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank	597 84
	Interest	25 15			
		$645 99			$645 99

December 31, 1921.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

The Permanent Fund of the Society is invested in the following bonds:

Massachusetts 3½%	$8,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4%	3,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4½%	2,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 6%	1,500 00
American Tel. and Tel. Co., 4%	10,000 00
Providence, R. I. 3%	7,000 00
Providence, R. I. 3½%	2,000 00
N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R. 4%	2,000 00
C. B. and Q. R. R. 6½%	2,000 00
United Electric Securities 5%	5,000 00
Rotch Mills 6%	1,800 00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	2,000 00
Dominion of Canada 5%	7,000 00
Detroit Edison Co. 7%	2,000 00
General Electric Co. 6%	4,000 00
Pennsylvania R. R. 7%	2,000 00
New York Telephone Co. 6%	2,000 00
Western Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	1,000 00
First Liberty Loan 4¼%	500 00
Second Liberty Loan 4¼%	500 00
Third Liberty Loan 4¼%	3,000 00
Fourth Liberty Loan 4¼%	500 00
Victory Notes 4¾%	500 00
	$69,300 00

The undersigned, of the Committee on Finance of the Bostonian Society, having examined the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1921 and the vouchers therewith presented, hereby certify to the correctness of the same.

They have also examined the securities of the Society, and find them correct, according to the Treasurer's statement.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
FRANCIS H. MANNING,
COURTENAY GUILD,
Committee on Finance.

Jan. 16, 1922.

PERMANENT FUND

The Society has a Permanent Fund, made up from Life Membership Fees, gifts and bequests, well invested, which it is earnestly desired may be increased. The Permanent Fund of the Society includes the following special gifts:

Boston Memorial Association Fund	$1,179 51
Robert C. Billings Memorial	3,000 00
Edward I. Browne Bequest	1,000 00
George O. Carpenter Memorial	1,000 00
Benjamin H. Dewing Bequest	100 00
John W. Farwell Gift	500 00
Curtis Guild Memorial	1,000 00
James F. Hunnewell Memorial	1,000 00
Lucy A. Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Otis Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Catherine P. Perkins Bequest	4,000 00
Caroline F. Sanborn Bequest (on account)	1,000 00
Samuel E. Sawyer Bequest	4,610 87
Joseph H. Stickney Bequest	1,000 00
Joseph C. Storey Bequest	2,000 00
William B. Trask Bequest	500 00
James L. Whitney Library Fund	553 99
Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., Bequest	3,000 00

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee which was appointed to nominate Officers of the Bostonian Society for the ensuing year, begs to report that it has attended to its duty and proposes the following candidates:

For Directors

Francis H. Manning, Courtenay Guild,
Charles H. Taylor, Joseph Grafton Minot,
John W. Farwell, Henry W. Cunningham,
Grenville H. Norcross, Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,
Frederick W. Parker.

For Clerk and Treasurer

Charles F. Read.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Charles S. Rackemann, *Chairman.*
Mary V. Iasigi,
Charles A. Coolidge,
John Lawrence,
Edward E. Sparhawk,
Nominating Committee.

January 12, 1922.

The report of the Committee was accepted, and the Society then proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. The result reported by the tellers showed the unanimous choice of those named on the ballot.

It was ordered that the Directors Report and the Reports of the Treasurer and the several committees, with the Membership Rolls be printed in the Annual Proceedings.

On motion, the Society then adjourned.

Charles F. Read, *Clerk.*

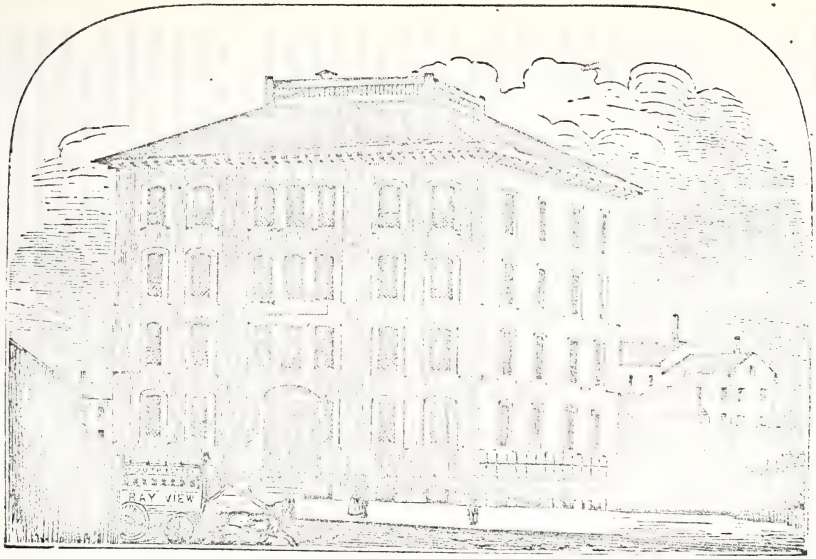
HISTORY OF THE LAWRENCE AND MATHER SCHOOLS, SOUTH BOSTON

By Amos M. Leonard, *Master Emeritus*

Before speaking of the Lawrence School I will call your attention briefly to a few facts in the early history of South Boston and its schools. In the month of June, 1630, a party of earnest and devout people, numbering 140, started a settlement in Dorchester not far from Savin Hill, near the present corner of Cottage and Pleasant Streets. They came from England in the good ship *Mary and John*, the first of Winthrop's fleet to arrive. Prominent among them were their two ministers, the Revs. John Maverick and John Wareham, Roger Clap, George Minot and Israel Stoughton.

The Indian name of Dorchester was Mattapan. Connected with Mattapan by a neck of low land was a peninsula called Mattapannock, later called Dorchester Neck, and now known as South Boston. The great advantages of this peninsula as a pasture for their cattle determined the location of their settlement. On this peninsula were several prominent hills. The largest and highest of these were called the Twin Hills, or Dorchester Heights. Fortifications were constructed on these heights by the American forces during the night of March 4, 1776. A beautiful white marble monument over 100 feet high stands on the top of the westerly hill. The old Blind Asylum building, built for a hotel, the Mount Washington House, was on the easterly hill. A considerable portion of these hills has been cut away and the material used in the construction of the Marine Park at City Point.

Nook Hill, the third prominent hill on the peninsula, was a full half-mile nearer the town and the British fleet than the Twin Hills. Washington saw the advantageous position of this hill and ordered the placing of a battery on its summit. Accordingly a squad of soldiers was sent out in the evening of March 9 for this purpose. The weather being severely cold the soldiers thoughtlessly build a fire. The British had a battery across the channel near the present corner of Dover and Washington Streets. The officer in command seeing the



THE LAWRENCE SCHOOL, SOUTH BOSTON

light of the fire and suspecting the Americans were fortifying the hill ordered its bombardment. Four of the soldiers and a surgeon named Dole were killed. The Americans abandoned their work. No other persons were killed during the military operations on the peninsula.

The next week was one of great anxiety to both General Washington and General Howe. The British began making preparations to evacuate the town. On the night of March 16 Washington ordered a detachment of soldiers to proceed to Nook Hill and complete the fortifications begun there a week before. When morning dawned the British were dismayed to see a battery frowning upon them from the top of the hill. It was plainly evident that they could not remain longer in the town with safety, and, hastening their preparations, after wantonly destroying much property, they embarked and sailed away, taking about a thousand Tories with them.

Some seventy-five years later this hill was cut down to the present level of B and Third Streets. The material was used for filling the lowlands at and near the easterly end of Dover Street Bridge. The Lawrence Schoolhouse and yard are located on the central portion of the site of Nook Hill. It is historic ground. The Society of the Sons of the Revolution placed a bronze tablet on the front wall of the Lawrence building March 16, 1900, to mark the site of the hill, and relating what took place there. On the following day this tablet was unveiled and appropriate and very interesting dedicatory exercises were held in the school hall.

In the latter part of 1803 several prominent citizens of Boston, William Tudor, Gardiner Green, Jonathan Mason, Harrison Gray Otis and others, foreseeing the growth of Boston, brought up large tracts of land on Dorchester Neck. Largely through their efforts and influence a bill was passed by the Legislature annexing the Neck to Boston in 1804.

About this time another bill was passed authorizing the building of a toll bridge across the channel where the Dover Street Bridge now stands, and also the Dorchester and Milton Turnpike from Milton Lower Mills to the easterly end of the bridge, now known as Dorchester Avenue. There was a

great boom in real estate. Houses were built and the population began to increase. Previous to this time there were only a few families on the peninsula. There was a small private school near the present G Street. Dorchester finally appropriated a few pounds a year towards its support.

Better school accommodations were needed and demanded soon after the peninsula became a part of Boston, resulting in the construction of a wooden schoolhouse in 1807 near the present corner of G Street and Broadway, at a cost of $400, capable of accommodating about 90 pupils. A woman was placed in charge of this school until it was taken over by the school committee of Boston in May, 1811. A young man named Zephaniah Wood was then employed on a salary of $300 a year, afterwards increased to $400. Mr. Wood not only taught the school, but for some time officiated as minister without pay to a small religious society that had been organized in the neighborhood, afterwards incorporated as the Hawes Place Congregational Society. Mr. Wood was universally beloved. His untimely death in 1822 was a sad loss to the community.

The population continuing to increase, a larger school building was needed, and a brick building was erected on Broadway, near Dorchester Street. The G Street school was transferred to this building in the fall of 1823. The name Hawes was given to this school in honor of John Hawes, a public-spirited citizen noted for his benevolence. The land for this schoolhouse was a gift to the city by Mr. Hawes. This building is still in use for school purposes. It is the oldest schoolhouse in Boston.

A second bridge across Fort Point Channel, connecting Turnpike Street and Sea Street, afterwards called Federal Street, was completed in 1827 after a most bitter struggle, lasting more than twenty years, between those favoring the bridge and those living in the south end of the city opposed to it. This was a free bridge. Soon after its completion it was turned over to the city, relieving the land proprietors of the expense of maintenance. It was a great advantage to South Boston and Dorchester and places beyond. New

buildings were erected. There was a great increase in real estate values and in the population of South Boston.

In course of time the Hawes building became overcrowded and a branch school was opened in a hall called Franklin Hall in a building at the corner of Fourth Street and Dorchester Avenue. Three teachers, Jonathan Battles and two assistants, and 178 pupils living in that neighborhood were transferred to this hall from the Hawes School at the beginning of the school year in 1840. This was the first school in what is now the Lawrence district. It afforded only temporary relief.

It was evident that a new schoolhouse would soon be a necessity, and measures were taken to provide one. A site was selected on Broadway between B and C Streets, and a three-story brick building was erected and made ready for occupancy early in March, 1842. The school in Franklin Hall was transferred to this building which is still in use. It was named the Mather School in honor of Rev. Richard Mather, who came to Dorchester in 1635. Mr. Battles was made master with an increased salary. Mr. Isaac F. Shepard was appointed usher, and there were several women assistants. One of these, Miss Margaret A. Moody, after rendering faithful service in the Mather and Lawrence schools for fifty years, resigned in 1893. At that time a large number of her former pupils gathered in the Lawrence School hall and presented her a basket of fifty roses, a nice comfortable rocking chair and a basket for her pet cats.

The Mather School was not fully organized till the beginning of the school year in August, 1843, when Mr. Josiah A. Stearns, usher in the Adams School, was appointed grammar master and Mr. Jonathan Battles writing master. From this time the school received a new impulse and soon rose to a high rank among the Boston schools. The Mather schoolhouse cost $21,314.80. In the upper story was a large room or hall occupied by the Grammar Department, a class in each corner. There were two recitation rooms connected with this large class-room. In the second story there was a similar arrangement for the Writing Department. On the first floor there was a wardroom, also two rooms for primary classes. This double-

headed system of a grammar master and a writing master was continued till March, 1854, when the school was placed under a single head, Mr. Battles retiring and Mr. Stearns remaining as the master.

The population of South Boston continued to increase and the Mather building became so crowded that steps were taken in 1854 to provide more ample accommodations for the increasing number of pupils, and a large brick building, facing B Street, was erected on the lot of land extending from Athens Street to Third Street, being completed in 1856. The name Lawrence was given to this building and to the school district in honor of Amos Lawrence, a former patron of the Mather School, a man of strictest integrity and fervent piety; a successful merchant, an eminent, upright citizen, a generous, discriminating giver to the worthy poor and unfortunate, to needy clergymen and churches, schools and colleges, ever ready to help along good causes for the uplift and improvement of society. He gave $10,000 towards the completion of Bunker Hill Monument. His benefactions during the last ten years of his life averaged $50,000 a year. Bishop Lawrence is a grandson of Amos Lawrence. No better name could be given to a school. It is an inspiration to teachers and pupils. The school moved from the Mather building into the new Lawrence building September 11, 1856. The Mather building was remodeled, providing ten rooms for primary classes, and a large wardroom.

The dedication of the Lawrence building was postponed to March 17, 1857, the eighty-first anniversary of the evacuation of Boston. The exercises were elaborate and most interesting. Many distinguished persons were present—Mayor Alexander H. Rice, the venerable Hon. Josiah Quincy, ex-Governor Boutwell, Richard Frothingham, Jr., John D. Philbrick, supt. of schools, and many others. This building at that time was considered to be one of the best schoolhouses in the city. It measures 60 feet by 90 feet on the ground, and cost between $65,000 and $70,000. It is of the common type of that time, a hip-roofed brick building, four stories in height with a cupola in which was formerly hung a large fire-alarm bell. On each

floor there is a wide corridor with good stairs at each end. On the fourth floor there are two class-rooms, a large assembly hall, and two small rooms, one formerly used for the master's office and the other for the library of the Lawrence Association. Originally there were four class-rooms on each of the other three floors. Connected with each class-room is a small ante-room where the pupils hang their outer garments. The building is steam-heated. The sanitaries for teachers and pupils were in the school yards. After several years toilets were provided for teachers in the building, also clothes closets, and still later sanitaries for pupils were installed in the basement. The windows were the chief dependence for ventilation, although there were ventilating flues in the walls of each room extending to the open attic. These were of little use, as the air in the attic was denser than that in the schoolrooms except in summer. One of the class-rooms on the second floor becoming vacant about twenty years ago, I had it divided into two rooms, and one fitted up for a teachers' room and the other for the school library and master's office. Storage rooms were built in the ante-room leading into the library. The original master's office on the fourth floor had been abandoned several years previously and a more convenient one fitted up on the first floor. This latter became the school nurse's room after still better accommodations for the master were provided in the library room.

The Lawrence School was fortunate in its location on the site of Nook Hill, and fortunate in its name. It is interesting to know how it happened that Mr. Lawrence became interested in the Hawes and Mather Schools. In the summer of 1831 he had a severe and nearly fatal illness caused by drinking too much cold water one hot day. Severe chronic dyspepsia resulted, seriously impairing his former good health which he never fully regained. He used to drive often from his beautiful summer home in Longwood, near Cottage Farm, to City Point, South Boston, to get the benefit of the sea breezes. As he passed the Hawes School he noticed from time to time the manly behavior of the boys at their plays, and the absence of all rudeness and profane and coarse language.

Mr. Joseph Harrington was the master of the school at that time. When he became master he found the school in a very unsatisfactory condition. He was an earnest, sincere, kind-hearted man. He had tact, ability and good judgment, and his good influence was soon apparent. With the object in view to improve the morals and conduct of his pupils and to make their lives more pleasant and useful, he founded the Hawes Juvenile Association. He strove to prevent the formation of bad habits—profanity, falsehood, stealing, etc., and to eradicate such habits if already formed. He strove also to inculcate the virtues of self-control, fair-mindedness, a regard for the rights of others, and upright conduct.

One day Mr. Lawrence stopped as he was passing and talked with the boys. They told him of their good master, of the Association, how much they enjoyed its meetings and the books in its library. Mr. Lawrence became deeply interested. A few days later bundles of books for their library and a nice letter enclosing a fifty dollar bill with which to buy more books were received to the great surprise and delight of the pupils and master. The name of the donor was not disclosed, but it soon became known. Mr. Lawrence's interest in the Hawes School continued, and he made other donations to the library.

The fame of the Hawes Juvenile Association spread abroad, and many similar associations were organized in other schools. Master Stearns of the Mather School made the acquaintance of Mr. Lawrence, who became greatly interested in the school and helped to form an association like that in the Hawes School. It was named the Lawrence Association. In due time a library of 1,200 volumes was collected. Mr. Lawrence from time to time contributed money and a large number of books, many of them having his autograph. The Association had a marked uplifting influence in the school. Regular meetings were held out of school hours. There were declamations, readings, music, debates, dialogues and contributions to a paper called the *Oak Leaf*. Mr. Lawrence invited the Association to visit Mt. Auburn to see where in his enclosure under the spreading branches of a large oak rested the body of a dearly beloved son, Robert Means Lawrence, a youth of great

promise, who died of consumption in his junior year at Harvard. It was a solemn occasion. Master Stearns spoke briefly with deep feeling, and a plaintive original hymn was sung. Mr. Lawrence several times invited the Association to his Longwood estate, and entertained the members, boys and girls, sumptuously on his ample grounds and under the beautiful forest trees. He made frequent visits to the school and often brought distinguished people with him. His last visit was made in November, 1852, when President-elect Franklin Pierce accompanied him.

Mr. Lawrence died suddenly a few weeks later in the night of December 31, 1852, in his sixty-seventh year. His funeral services were held in the Brattle Street Church. Three ministers, intimate friends of Mr. Lawrence, officiated, the Rev. Dr. Lothrop, pastor of the church, the Rev. Dr. Hopkins, President of Williams College, and the Rev. Dr. Sharp, pastor of the Baptist Society in Charles Street. Members of the Lawrence Association assembled around the coffin and covered it with flowers after singing an original hymn written by Master Stearns.

After the death of Mr. Lawrence his son, Amos A. Lawrence, took a strong interest in the Association and, to encourage the literary efforts of its members, offered prizes of $40 a year.

The Lawrence School was not only fortunate in its location and name but also fortunate in having a good and able man for its first master. Mr. Stearns was a son of a Congregational minister in Bedford. A brother was for many years the honored president of Amherst College; another brother was the principal of the State Normal School in Nashville, Tennessee. Mr. Stearns maintained a home for two sisters and himself in the old colonial homestead in Bedford. He never married. It is said he was once engaged to an estimable young woman, whose premature death prevented their marriage.

Master Stearns, though not a college graduate, was nevertheless a man of culture and good attainments. He had a pleasing personality, was courteous, kindhearted, sympathetic and companionable. He loved his work, was earnest and faithful; he won the good will and confidence of his associates,

his pupils and their parents. Under his guidance the school took a high rank.

When Fort Hill was cut down and dumped into the harbor to build Atlantic Avenue, many dwellings and other buildings were destroyed, including the old Fort Hill schoolhouse, and many families had to seek homes elsewhere. A large number moved into the Lawrence district, and the school buildings became so crowded that a new building had to be provided. A commodious building for a new grammar school was erected at the corner of D and Fifth Streets. It was dedicated March 10, 1868, and named the Norcross School in honor of ex-Mayor Otis Norcross, the distinguished father of our esteemed President. Mr. Norcross donated a beautiful and valuable clock for the school hall and bequeathed a fund of $1,000, the income to be expended by the master of the school for the benefit of the school library. Master Stearns, several teachers and all the girls were transferred to the Norcross building and the Lawrence was organized as a boys' school. I believe in mixed schools for pupils in the grades below the high school grades, and I think it was a mistake to take away all the girls and leave all the boys. Boys and girls exert a reciprocal, beneficial influence on each other. They become better acquainted and learn to respect each other. Discipline is easier and school life pleasanter for pupils and teachers.

Mr. Stearns remained master of the Norcross School, beloved by all who knew him, till a few weeks before his death in his old home, October 11, 1882.

After Mr. Stearns's transfer to the Norcross School Mr. Larkin Dunton, who had been submaster in the Lawrence about a year, was appointed master. He was then about forty years old. He was born in a log cabin about forty miles above Waterville, Maine. His early educational advantages were meagre; but he had natural ability, good health, and perseverance, and in due time was graduated from Waterville College, now Colby University. He taught school, studied law, was admitted to the bar, got married, and partly from necessity took up teaching again. He was master of the Bath High School eight years and then came to the Lawrence

School as submaster with the expectation of succeeding Mr. Stearns. Mr. Dunton would have won success in any profession. Had he remained a lawyer undoubtedly he would have risen to a judgeship or member of Congress. He was a first-class schoolmaster. He was a large, tall man, had a keen, penetrating, logical mind; he was genial, had good judgment, and executive ability of a high order, was studious and intensely interested in his work.

I will here give a brief account of my preparation for teaching. I was reared on a small farm in Stoughton, the third oldest of nine children, seven boys and two girls. When not attending the district school we older boys worked on the farm and some times assisted in the shop where my father made edge-tools and shoemakers' kits. He was handy at any kind of work. I nearly wasted three years attending the district school winters and working in a woolen mill and on a neighbor's farm the remainder of the time when I should have been attending a high school; but there was no high school nor library in Stoughton at that time. During the three years I had made a net saving of $80. I wished to become a teacher. I could solve all the problems in Greenleaf's National Arithmetic, and had got a little start in Latin and algebra. I persuaded my father to let me go to Peirce Academy in Middleboro at my own expense. I was a student there about half the time during three years, being away the other half teaching in Stoughton. My ambition was to go to Harvard, but I feared I would not be admitted as I had studied Latin only two years and Greek less than a year and a half. The principal of the academy, Mr. J. W. P. Jenks, a graduate of Brown and later a professor there, and the classical teacher, Mr. C. C. Burnett, also a graduate of Brown, both advised me to go to Brown. I told them I would rather go to Tufts, remain there a year and then take the examinations for admission to the sophomore class of Harvard. They laughed and said it would be impossbile for me to succeed. However, I went to Tufts, took the examinations and was admitted without a condition. I passed a very pleasant and profitable year there, being away, however, four months

teaching in Stoughton. At the end of the year I went over to Harvard to try the examinations for admission to the sophomore class. It was a two days' test, but I passed it successfully. Probably the happiest moment of my life up to that time was when I opened the envelope President Hill had handed me, with the admonition not to linger in the yard, and found that I had been admitted to the sophomore class. My persistent determination had its reward. I was away teaching in Stoughton during the winters of my junior and senior years. In September following my graduation at Harvard College in 1866 I was engaged to teach Latin and mathematics in the Park Latin School on Park Street. I had been there but a few weeks when I was invited to take an examination for the position of usher in the Quincy School. There were twenty-five other applicants. After the written examination and while the committee and Superintendent Philbrick were considering whom to elect, Dr. Samuel A. Green, a member of the committee and later mayor, remarked that there was not a Harvard graduate in any grammar school in Boston, and for that reason he would like to have me elected. I received the appointment. Mr. David B. Tower, the principal of the Park Latin School, urged me strongly to remain with him and offered to raise my salary 50 per cent; but I decided to enter the service of the city. I left a very easy, agreeable position for a very difficult one. I was placed in charge of a branch of the Quincy School, located in the old Franklin building on Washington Street, just above Dover Street, October 22, 1866, succeeding Mr. Alfred Bunker, who had resigned to go into business. After a few years he reentered the service as submaster in the Comins School and later became master of the Quincy School, where he remained until he was retired under the age limit rule in 1909. He is still living in Roxbury.

After the organization of the Lawrence as a boys' school in March, 1868, a submaster was needed there. The committee advertised for applicants. I was one of sixty-four who applied for the position. A rather severe written examination was held in the Common Council chambers. The papers were

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carefully examined and all but three discarded; mine was one of the three and I was finally elected and entered on my duties as submaster in the Lawrence School May 1, 1868. It was no easy berth. There were many large, rough boys in the school, but they soon came to the conclusion that I was more than a match for them, and everything went along more pleasantly and smoothly as we became better acquainted.

The Boston Normal School was established in 1872. Mr. Dunton was chosen head master of this school, and organized it at the beginning of the school year in September. This school was much needed for the training of young teachers. Under Mr. Dunton's wise and efficient management it prospered and was a great success. Because of his high character, scholarly attainments and reputation as an educator his Alma Mater conferred on him the honorary degree of LL.D. After a period of twenty-seven years' faithful service as head master Dr. Dunton resigned because of failing health.

When Mr. Dunton left the Lawrence School I naturally wished to be his successor. Without my knowledge a petition to the committee for my appointment was drawn up, and signed by every teacher in the district. I received the appointment. I had no rival this time. The Lawrence was then and for many years after the largest school in Boston. There were nearly 2,000 pupils in the district. I was the youngest master in Boston, being in my thirty-second year. The teachers gave me their loyal support. I allowed them a little more freedom and individuality than they had had before. I had the assistance of three able men about my age, one was two years older—all college graduates. We were a strong team and worked in harmony. Delwin A. Hamlin, one of the Maine Hamlins, a graduate of Waterville College, was my submaster, having been promoted as my successor when I became master. He was a bright, scholarly man. He was well qualified to fill a professor's chair in college. His method of instruction tended to develop the mental powers of his pupils, to lead them to acquire the habit of close application, and to give them ability to think clearly. After remaining with me nine years Mr. Hamlin was made master of the Bowdoin

School and afterwards transferred to the Rice School. He died of pneumonia in the prime of a useful life.

Henry L. Clapp, a graduate of Harvard, was one of my ushers. He was versatile—a fairly good musician, a student of natural science, could sketch, and paint in oil and water colors. He became submaster in the Dudley School, and afterwards master of the George Putnam School. Mr. Clapp was the first master to have school gardens for the cultivation of flowers and vegetables by the children. He had ample grounds for that purpose. People came from far and near to see the wonderful results of the children's work. Mr. Clapp had large cabinets of minerals and pressed flowers, collected by himself. His only son, Philip Greely Clapp, is the well-known composer and professor of music.

Grenville C. Emery, a graduate of Bates College, Maine, was my other usher. He was a patient, painstaking, thorough, successful, popular teacher. He remained with me nine years, then went to Germany to study mathematics, taking his family with him. A year later his ambition to become teacher of mathematics in the Boston Latin School was gratified. He had great success in preparing his pupils to pass the examinations for admission to Harvard. Mr. Emery remained in the Boston Latin School nine years. He then thought it would be for his interest to have a change, and he went to Los Angeles, California, where he taught in the public schools three years. He then established a military school on a ten-acre plot of land about two miles west of the city, which he had bought a few years before. Mrs. Emery, an estimable woman of strong, practical ability, assisted Mr. Emery in establishing and carrying on this school. It became the most noted school on the Pacific coast. The growth of the city towards his property greatly increased its value, and a few years ago he sold it to a syndicate for $250,000. He deserved his good fortune. He is now living in Palo Alto, California, where he has established another school.

There were more than twenty applicants for the vacancy caused by Mr. Clapp's transfer. I had strongly recommended Mr. W. E. C. Rich, a graduate of Bates College, for the

position. After a long and interesting contest he was unanimously elected. This was a great victory for him and for me. Mr. Rich had charge of the old Mather building on Broadway. After serving there to the satisfaction of everybody for eight years, he was appointed submaster in the Dudley School, Roxbury. There he created among his pupils a desire to do careful, thorough work in school and to improve their time profitably out of school. His good service in the Dudley School led to his appointment as master of the Robert Gould Shaw School, West Roxbury. Several years later he was transferred to the Christopher Gibson School, Dorchester, where he remained till he reached the age limit of seventy years. Mr. Rich is now living in Ocean Park, Maine, and serving the town as Auditor and a member of the school committee.

I have time only to mention a few of the many other able and well-liked Lawrence teachers: Henry C. Hardon, later master of the Shurtleff School; Edwin B. Hale, later superintendent of schools in Newton, now a prominent lawyer; Augustus D. Small, later head master of the South Boston High School; Edward H. Cobb, now a master in the English High School; Michael E. Fitzgerald, later a master, now superintendent of schools in Cambridge; Egbert W. Chesley and George S. Houghton, resigned. Alice Cooper and Emma P. Hall, master's assistants for many years; Charlotte L. Voigt, acting master's assistant, later appointed master's assistant in the Samuel Adams School, East Boston; Edwin C. Howard, eminently qualified to have been my successor, transferred a year after my retirement to the Oliver Hazard Perry School, South Boston, and later to the Longfellow School, Roslindale; Clara G. Hinds, master's assistant, transferred after my retirement to the Bennett School, Brighton; Agnes G. Gilfether, appointed assistant in the South Boston High School, and later master of the Shurtleff School to succeed Henry C. Hardon; Martha S. Damon, young at fourscore years, first assistant-in-charge of the Samuel G. Howe Primary School; Sarah E. Lakeman, first assistant-in-charge of the Mather Primary School. Cora S. Locke became master's assistant in the

Comins School, Margaret Holmes in the Hugh O'Brien School and Mary J. Fennelly in the Norcross School. Mary F. O'Brien, assistant in the Lawrence School for several years, now holds an important clerkship in the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. The Lawrence School was a sort of training school for teachers for higher positions in other schools.

About twenty-five years ago the Old Colony R. R. Co. bought up several acres of the land west of Dorchester Avenue to enlarge their yards. The buildings on this land were taken down, and nearly two hundred families had to move, many of them out of the district. A few years later an addition of eight rooms was made to the Sisters' School on Broadway opposite SS. Peter and Paul's Church. These changes lessened the attendance in the public schools in the district about 40 per cent, and the Lawrence became one of the smallest schools in the city. While these changes were taking place two of the teachers were transferred to other schools, one was married, three died and three resigned. Two rooms became vacant in the Lawrence building; one was fitted up for a class in manual training, and the other, as I have already stated, for a teachers' room, library and master's office. Five rooms became vacant in the Mather building; one was used as an office by the chief truant officer; another was enlarged for a kindergarten class, by moving a partition and taking in a portion of the adjoining room; and the smaller room was fitted up for a teachers' room. The old Parkman primary building, built in 1848, on Silver Street, was abandoned for school purposes and is now used for the storage of school furniture. Its name was transferred to the Mather building to distinguish it from the Mather School on Meeting-House Hill, Dorchester.

The old Lawrence Association died a lingering death after the girls were removed to the Norcross building. It had not been a success until girls were admitted to membership. I found on making an examination that the best of the library books were missing, either worn out or lost. The greater number of those remaining were not suitable for children and apparently were seldom or never read. I selected the best of them for a nucleus of a new library. We formed one of the

best school libraries in the city, using for that purpose a portion of the income from the Gibson Fund, a fund derived from money and property bequeathed by Christopher Gibson in 1674 for the benefit of schools of Dorchester. There are books of reference, of fairy tales, travel, history, biography, poetry and elementary science; books on birds, animals, insects, plants, flowers, shrubs, trees, etc. There are sets of supplementary reading books for use in the class-rooms. I wished to have the pupils form the habit of reading carefully and thoroughly for information as well as for pleasure, hoping they would keep up the habit in after life and become acquainted with the great works of the best authors. I tried to have the boys improve their leisure time profitably, become interested in something they liked to do and try to excel in doing it. I encouraged them to study music, learn to sing, and play some musical instrument. Music is the common language of civilized peoples. Good music is refining, uplifting, and gives great pleasure.

I occasionally took trips with groups of boys and sometimes with a whole class and its teacher to Franklin Park and the Arnold Arboretum, calling attention to the flowers, shrubs, ornamental and forest trees, hills, valleys, rocks, ledges, birds and animals. One delightful trip was to Hutchinson Park on a hillside just across the river at Milton Lower Mills. There is a wonderful view from the upper part of this park. We saw the Neponset River rushing along at the lower edge of the park and meandering through the marshes and under bridges to Dorchester Bay; we saw islands in the harbor, lighthouses in the distance, ships with white sails set and steamboats moving through the waters, a train of cars crossing the river on a spider-legged bridge, crows cawing and flapping their way leisurely along, gulls circling over the river, and the guilded dome, church spires and towers of the city six miles distant. It was a beautiful scene never to be forgotten.

Leaving the park we walked through country roads and lanes, and as we passed along we saw farmhouses and barns, many majestic elms and oaks; fruit trees, lilacs, wistaria vines and shrubs in blossom; farmers plowing and planting, cows

and pigs, hens and chickens, a colt and its mother, a pair of robins building their nest, bees gathering honey, thrushes, swift-winged swallows and other birds, a chipmunk skipping along a stone wall, a snake wriggling across the roadway, an old well with its wooden curb, a brook and golden-petaled cowslips growing in its margin, a miniature water-fall and many other objects of interest. I used to make a yearly trip to Cambridge with members of the graduating class. We would meet at Mt. Auburn, visit the graves of Longfellow, Oliver Wendell Holmes, James Russell Lowell, Rufus Choate, Charles Sumner, Margaret Fuller and other distinguished persons; then walk along past Elmwood, Lowell's birthplace and home, and on towards the Charles River, a short distance away, to see the "Willow Pleiades," so called in Lowell's poem, "Under the Willows," the largest of which, because of its

> "Eight balanced limbs, springing at once all round
> His deep-ridged trunk with upward slant diverse"

he likens to an "enormous beaker, fit for hand of Jotum." A short distance away towards the river is a rectangular plot of ground enclosed by an iron rail, within which is a large stone tablet placed there by Professor Horsford, on which is this inscription: "On this spot in the year 1000 Leif Erickson built his house in Vineland." Our way then led via Brattle Street to the Longfellow house and park opposite, thence to where "Under a spreading chestnut tree" stood the village smithy; then on to the Washington elm, Cambridge Common, the site of "the house of the gambrel roof," Dr. Holmes's birthplace, the club-house of the Pi-Eta Society, of which I am an original member; then across the Charles to Soldiers' Field and the Stadium. After luncheon in Harvard Square we entered the college yard, visited the Faculty room in University Hall, the Fogg and German Museums, Memorial Hall and the Peabody Musuem with its wonderful collection of Indian relics.

One Saturday morning after visiting historic places and buildings in the city with a group of boys, I led them up to the State House. We found it closed, as it was just past 12 o'clock. Returning to the street we were considering where to

go, when a carriage drove up and Governor Guild alighted. Seeing us standing there he came up and said in his frank, cordial way, "Boys, what can I do for you?" I told him why we were there. He said, "Well, I guess I can let you in; come with me." He invited us into his private office, and we had a most delightful hour with him. He spoke of historic places and events, questioned the boys in local history, told us of his boyhood days, etc. The boys declaimed selections of poetry and prose. He showed us the wonderful full-length painting of Lincoln in the reception room; then took us into the Council Chamber, had each of us in turn sit in the chair of Councillor Barry, a Lawrence graduate, afterwards Lieutenant-Governor. As we passed down to the Hall of Flags the Governor explained the historic paintings on the walls of the stairway. His gracious, hearty, entertaining manner made our call, which he seemed to enjoy as much as we, an event to be recalled with great pleasure through life. All these trips had an awakening, broadening influence and were of great educational value. I wrote the Governor, thanking him for his courteous attention to us, and quoting authority for the location of the boys' coast on School Street instead of on the Common. He wrote a nice letter in reply, telling how much he enjoyed our call and how fond he was of boys.

When I began service in the Lawrence School in 1868 there was not a single picture on the walls of any room. This was generally true of all the City school buildings. When chromos began to be popular Louis Prang gave an unframed picture of the Yosemite Valley to each grammar school. The Lawrence pupils contributed a cent each to buy a frame. Soon after I became master, on my suggestion, each class, on graduation, left some memento for decorating the hall—a nice steel engraving or picture or bust of some noted person. In this way the hall was well and fully decorated. For the schoolrooms, grammar and primary, we bought many pictures from time to time with money from the Gibson Fund and the proceeds of two entertainments we gave in celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the dedication of the Lawrence building, and contributions from former pupils and friends of the school,

amounting in all to over $200. The Society for the Decoration of Schoolrooms gave us a number of large appropriate pictures; and now all the rooms and corridors of the Lawrence and primary buildings are well decorated. A stereopticon and several sets of slides, a portable organ and desirable articles not furnished by the City were purchased from the income of the Gibson Fund. The old Mather building, renamed Parkman, is now used as a prevocational center. Only three rooms are occupied, one as a machine shop, another by a class in woodworking, and a third for the storage of supplies.

The first public kindergarten in Boston was established in the Samuel G. Howe primary building by Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, the daughter of Louis Agassiz, as an experiment. This proved such a success under the intelligent management of Mrs. Emilie Bethman and her daughter that Mrs. Shaw established several others in different sections of the City at an expense to her of $30,000 a year. The school committee finally took them over and they are now recognized as an important part of our educational system.

It is of the greatest importance to have a good master in charge of a school district, a person of the highest character, of good ability and attainments, studious, broad-minded, courteous, refined, patient, sympathetic, cheerful, conscious of duty and responsibilities, having tact and good judgment, and power to gain and retain the good will and confidence of the teachers, pupils and parents, and inspire them with his earnest spirit, that all may work in harmony with joy in their hearts for the common good. We strove to have the pupils learn and observe the laws of good health, to speak the truth, to have courage to do right, to be courteous, and mindful of the rights and feelings of others, to be helpful to the unfortunate, faithful to every duty, honest and honorable in all their dealings, and to remember that a successful, useful, happy life results mainly from one's own patient, earnest efforts.

The Lawrence district was and is now largely a tenement district. The greater part of the parents belonged to the laboring class. They were anxious that their children should enjoy educational advantages that in many instances had been

denied themselves. I encouraged them to keep their boys in school till they had completed the grammar school course, and they willingly made great sacrifices, when necessary, for that purpose. One of the happiest events of their lives, never to be forgotten, was attending the graduation exercises and seeing their bright-eyed boys receive their diplomas as their names were called out one by one. It is a great satisfaction and advantage to a boy to win and have in his possession a diploma. The average attendance of the pupils in the Lawrence School was about 95 per cent, often the highest in the city. Their average age at graduation was usually less than that in any other school.

On the completion of my twenty-fifth year as master in 1897 I was agreeably surprised by being presented with a valuable gold watch. Every teacher and pupil in the district, as well as the four janitors and the truant officer, contributed to the purchase of this token of their respect and good will. That event is a precious memory. A few years later I had another very pleasant surprise. The boys of the manual training class presented me a nice morris chair made by themselves, every boy helping. On the under side of the seat slats each boy had inscribed his name in pencil. It was a gracious act on their part, making this useful gift to me, and I remember it with pleasure.

I reached the age limit of service fixed by the school committee October 18, 1910, and was automatically retired at the end of the school year, August 31, 1911, after completing a service of forty-five years in the schools of Boston. I was connected with the Lawrence School forty-three years and four months, thirty-nine years as master. I have the satisfaction of knowing that I was retired when everybody wished I could remain, and I have no doubt I should be there now had there been no age limit rule. During this long period I was not absent a day on account of illness. I attribute my good health chiefly to right living, proper out-door exercise, a cheerful, hopeful frame of mind, and to being pleasantly associated with young people. As a parting gift my teachers

presented me one hundred dollars in gold—a precious token of good will and pleasant memories.

Year after year I saw boys going forth from the Lawrence School with the hope, courage and energy of youth, some to continue their studies in higher institutions, and many others to engage in the various trades and occupations open to boys in a large city. I frequently meet some of my former pupils, "my boys," as I call them, though some of them have passed the threescore milestone. They never let me pass without a cordial greeting and a pleasant word. It is gratifying to hear of the success that has attended them in the learned professions, in business, in positions of honor and trust, in the service they have rendered to the nation, the State and City, and in some of the humbler but important occupations. Two Lawrence graduates, James A. Crowley, Boston College '94, Edward J. Muldoon, Harvard '03, are masters in Boston schools, and three others, Joseph A. F. O'Neill, Harvard '03, Vincent A. Keenan, Harvard '02, and Edward J. Carroll, Holy Cross '07, are submasters.

Others who entered the profession of teaching are Thomas A. Mullen, who received a Franklin medal in the Boston Latin School and several prizes. He became a popular teacher in that school after graduating from Harvard with highest honors in the class of '84. Mr. Mullen was the youngest teacher ever appointed in that school since its foundation in 1635 except Edward Everett Hale. After rendering notable service there for eight years, he resigned, entered the Harvard Law School, completed the regular course in two years, was admitted to the bar, became Mayor Quincy's private secretary for two years, and then entered upon a successful law practice. Mr. Mullen took especial interest in the Lawrence School, attended the graduation exercises regularly up to the time of my retirement, gave out the diplomas and made eloquent and inspiring addresses to the boys and to the audiences. He is well known as a forceful, interesting public speaker—a golden-tongued orator.

A Lawrence and Mather School Alumni Association was formed in 1893. There was an annual meeting followed by a

banquet up to the time of my retirement. There has been no meeting since. There are less than 400 pupils now in the Lawrence building, and Miss Kate Haushalter, as faithful and contented as ever, is the only one of the old teachers remaining. I visit the school occasionally and have given out the diplomas several times. The master and teachers are working earnestly and cheerfully, and maintaining the old Lawrence spirit.

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*Gardner, Augustus Peabody
Gardner, George Peabody
Gardner, George Peabody, Jr.
*Gardner, John Lowell
Garfield, Irvin McDowell
Gaugengigl, Ignaz Marcel
*Gay, Edwin Whitney
*Gay, Ernest Lewis
*Gay, Frederick Lewis
*George, Elijah
*Giddings, Mrs. Susan Kittredge
Gilbert, Shepard Devereux
*Gill, James Seel
Gill, Mrs. Matilda
*Gill, Mrs. Rachel Maria
Gilman, Osmon Burnap
*Glasier, Alfred Adolphus
*Gleason, James Mellen
*Glines, Edward
Godbold, Miss Caroline Agnes
*Goddard, George Augustus
*Goddard, Miss Julia
*Goodhue, Francis Abbot
*Goodrich, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth
*Gould, Benjamin Apthorp
*Gould, George Lambert
Gould, Marshall Hopkins
*Grandin, John Livingston
Graves, Frank Neal
*Gray, Reginald
Gray, Roland
Gray, Russell
Green, Charles Montraville
Green, Philip Arthur
*Green, Samuel Abbott
*Greene, Francis Bunker

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*Greenough, Francis Boott
Grew, Edward Wigglesworth
*Grew, Henry Sturgis
Grew, Joseph Clark
Griffith, Norman Hathaway
*Griggs, John Hammond
Grosier, Edwin Atkins
Guild, Courtenay
*Guild, Curtis
*Guild, Mrs. Sarah Crocker
Guild, Miss Sarah Louisa
Gurney, Frank Pierce
Hagar, Eugene Bigelow
*Haigh, John
*Hale, Mrs. Ellen Sever
Hall, Mrs. Ellen Page
Hall, Frank Gardner
*Hall, George Gardner
*Hall, Henry Lyon
*Hall, Prescott Farnsworth
*Hall, Thomas Bartlett
Halloran, Frank Rupert
Hamblen, Arthur Wellington
Hammer, Charles Dunkel
*Hammond, Mrs. Ellen Sarah Sophia
*Hammond, Gardiner Greene
*Hammond, George Warren
*Hancock, Franklin
Hannon, Joseph Charles
*Hapgood, Warren
Hardy, John Dudley
Harrington, George
Harrison, Walter James
Hart, Claude Marks
Hart, Thomas Norton
*Hart, William Tennant
*Hartt, John F.
Haskell, William Andrew
*Hassam, John Tyler
*Hastings, Henry
*Hathaway, Charles Francis
*Haven, Franklin
Haven, Miss Mary Eliza
Hayford, Nathan Holbrook
*Haynes, James Gilson
*Haynes, John Cummings
*Hayward, George
Hayward, James Warren
*Head, Charles
*Hecht, Jacob Hirsch
Hemenway, Alfred
Hemenway, Augustus
*Henchman, Nathaniel Hurd
Henderson, Charles William, Jr.
Henry, William Linzee
Henshaw, Samuel
Herrick, Robert Frederick
Hewins, James
Hickok, Gilman Clarke
Higginson, Francis Lee
Higginson, Mrs. Ida Agassiz
Hill, Donald McKay
Hill, George Sumner
*Hill, Hamilton Andrews
*Hill, Henry Eveleth
*Hill, James Edward Radford
*Hill, Warren May
*Hill, William Henry
Hills, Edwin Augustus
*Hinckley, Frederic
Hitchcock, Frank Tenney
Hodgkins, Joseph Wilson
Hoffman, Mrs. Rebecca Russell
*Hoitt, Alfred Demeritt
*Holden, Joshua Bennett
Hollander, Theodore Clarence
*Hollingsworth, Amor Leander
*Hollingsworth, Sumner
Hollingsworth, Valentine
Hollingsworth, Zachary Taylor
*Holman, Charles Bradley
Holmes, Edward Jackson
Holmes, Robert Jameson
Holtzer, Charles William
*Homans, Charles Dudley
*Homans, George Henry
*Homans, John, 2d
Hooper, Mrs. Alice Perkins
Hooper, Mrs. Mary Davis Beal

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*Hooper, Robert Chamblet
Hooper, William
*Hopkins, Amos Lawrence
Hopper, Ralph Waldo Emerson
Hoppin, Charles Parker
Hornblower, Henry
*Horsford, Eben Norton
Houghton, Clement Stevens
Houghton, Miss Elizabeth Goodridge
*Hovey, Henry Stone
Howard, Francis Allen
Howard, Herbert Burr
*Howe, Elmer Parker
Howe, Mark Antony DeWolfe
Howe, Octavius Thorndike
Howes, Daniel Havens
Hubbard, Charles Wells
Hubbard, Orrin Calvin
Hubbard, Paul Mascarene
*Hughes, Miss Laura Ann Cleophas
Hunneman, William Cooper
Hunnewell, Francis Welles
*Hunnewell, James Frothingham
Hunnewell, James Melville
*Hunnewell, Mrs. Sarah Melville
Hunter, Herbert Forester
Hurd, Edward Payson
Hurlburt, Mrs. Eda Adams
*Hutchings, George Sherburne
Hutchinson, James Abbott
Hyde, Benjamin Dwight
Iasigi, Mrs. Amy Gore
Jackson, James
Jackson, Joseph Riggs, Jr.
*Jackson, Mrs. Mary Stuart
*Jackson, William
Jacobs, Mrs. Garrie
James, Arthur Holmes
*James, George Abbot
*Jeffries, Benjamin Joy
*Jenks, Henry Fitch
*Jenney, Bernard
*Jenney, William Thacher
Johnson, Arthur Stoddard
Johnson, Mrs. Fanny Betts
*Johnson, Wolcott Howe
Jones, Charles Henry
*Jones, Daniel Wayland
Jones, Frank M.
*Jones, Jerome
Jones, Matt Bushnell
Jones, Nathaniel Royal
*Jordan, Mrs. Mary Sheppard
*Joy, Franklin Lawrence
Keep, Charles Manning
*Keith, Benjamin Franklin
Kellen, William Vail
Kelly, Miss Elizabeth Farley
*Kelly, Fitzroy
Kemp, Clarence Charles
*Kennard, Martin Parry
*Kennedy, George Golding
Kennedy, John Joseph
Kent, Mrs. Alice Cotting
Keyes, Charles Dexter
Keyes, William Herbert
Kidder, Charles Archbald
Kidder, Nathaniel Thayer
Kilburn, Warren Silver
Kimball, Miss Augusta Caroline
Kimball, Benjamin
Kimball, Mrs. Caroline Sampson
*Kimball, Mrs. Clara Bertram
Kimball, David Pulsifer
Kimball, Lemuel Cushing
*Kimball, Mrs. Susan Tillinghast
Kitson, Henry Hudson
Knight, Arthur Stearns
*Kuhn, Hamilton
*Ladd, Babson Savilian
Ladd, Nathaniel Watson
Lamb, Mrs. Annie Lawrence
*Lamb, George
Lamb, Henry Whitney
*Lambert, Thomas Ricker
*Lamson, Artemas Ward
*Lane, Jonathan Abbott
Lang, Mrs. Frances Morse
Lang, Howard Witherell

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Lapham, Henry George
Lauriat, Charles Emelius, Jr.
*Lawrence, Amory Appleton
*Lawrence, Amos Adams
*Lawrence, Charles Richard
Lawrence, Harris Hooper
Lawrence, John
Lawrence, John Silsbee
Lawrence, Robert Means
*Lawrence, Rosewell Bigelow
*Lawrence, Samuel Crocker
Lawson, Thomas William
Lawton, Charles Kimball
Lawton, Mark Anthony
Leatherbee, Mrs. Ethel Brigham
Lee, George Cabot
Lee, James Stearns
Lee, Joseph
Lee, William Henry
Leman, John Howard
Leonard, Amos Morse
*Leonard, Miss Anna Rebekah
Leonard, Elmer Ellsworth
*Leonard, George Henry
Lesh, Henry Frederick
*Leverett, George Vasmer
Leveroni, Frank
Lewis, Edwin James, Jr.
Lewis, George
*Lincoln, Beza
*Litchfield, William Elias
Little, Arthur
*Little, George Washington
*Little, James Lovell
*Little, John Mason
*Lockwood, Philip Case
*Lockwood, Thomas St. John
Lodge, Henry Cabot
Long, Harry Vinton
Longfellow, Alexander Wadsworth
*Longley, James
*Longley, Mrs. Julia Robinson
*Lord, George Wells
Loring, Augustus Peabody
*Loring, Caleb William
Loring, Miss Helen
Loring, Miss Katherine Peabody
Loring, Miss Louisa Putnam
Loring, Thacher
Loring, William Caleb
Lothrop, Mrs. Anne Maria
*Lothrop, Daniel
*Lothrop, Thornton Kirkland
*Loud, Charles Elliot
Loud, George Deshorn
Loud, Joseph Prince
Loveland, Timothy Otis
Lovering, Ernest
Lovett, Arthur Trevitt
*Low, George Doane
*Low, John
*Lowell, Francis Cabot
*Lowell, Miss Georgina
Lowell, John
Lowell, Miss Lucy
*Lowell, Mrs. Mary Ellen
*Lowell, Percival
*Lucas, Edmund George
*Luke, Arthur Fuller
Lunt, William Wallace
*Lyman, Arthur Theodore
*Lyon, Henry
*MacDonald, Edward
*Mace, Mrs. Martha Jane
*Mack, Thomas
*Macleod, William Alexander
Madden, Michael Lester
*Mandell, Samuel Pierce
*Mann, Arthur Elisha
*Mann, George Sumner
Manning, Francis Henry
*Marion, Horace Eugene
Marrs, Mrs. Laura Norcross
*Marsh, Mrs. Julia Maria
*Marshall, James Fowle Baldwin
Marston, Howard
Marston, John Pitts
*Marvin, William Theophilus Rogers
Mason, Henry Lowell
Mason, Lelia Sylvina

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Matthews, Albert
May, Miss Eleanor Goddard
May Frederick Goddard
*May, Frederick Warren Goddard
Mayer, Richard
*Mayo, Miss Amy Louisa
Mayo, Lawrence
McDonough, Charles Andrew
McIntire, Charles John
McKee, Mrs. Bessie Pardee
*Mead, Mrs. Anna Maria
Means, John Hamilton
Melville, Henry Hulmes
Merriam, Frank
Merriam, Olin Lane
Merrill, Albert Rowe
*Merrill, Mrs. Amelia Grigg
Merrill, Sherburn Moses
Merritt, Edward Percival
*Metcalf, Albert
*Meyer, George von Lengerke
*Minns, Thomas
Minot, Joseph Grafton
*Minot, William
Minot, William
Mitchell, Sidney Adelbert
*Mitton, Edward John
*Mixter, Miss Madeleine Curtis
Monks, George Howard
*Moore, Frederic Henry
*Moore, George Henry
*Moore, Miss Mary Eliza
Moors, Francis Joseph
Morgan, Miss Emily Malbone
Moriarty, George Andrews
Morison, Mrs. Emily Marshall
Morison, Samuel Eliot
*Morrison, Barna Thacher
*Morse, George Henry
Morse, Glenn Tilley
*Morse, Lemuel Foster
Morse, Lewis Kennedy
*Morss, Charles Anthony
Morss, Charles Anthony
Morss, Everett
Morss, Henry Adams
Morss, John Wells
*Moseley, Alexander
Moseley, Miss Ellen Frances
*Motley, Edward Preble
*Munro, John Cummings
Murdock, Harold
*Murdock, William Edwards
Murphy, James Smiley
Murphy, Mrs. Ray Slater
*Nash, Nathaniel Cushing
Nettleton, Ralph Bayard
Newman, Miss Harriet Hancock
Nichols, Arthur Howard
Nickerson, Augustus
Nickerson, William Emery
Norcross, Grenville Howland
*Norcross, Mrs. Lucy Ann
Norcross, Otis
Norman, Mrs. Louisa Palfrey
*Norwell, Henry
Noyes, James Atkins
Nutting, George Hale
O'Brien, Walter Augustine
*O'Callaghan, Denis
*Odell, William Herrick Lovett
*Olmsted, Frederick Law
O'Neil, Joseph Henry
*Osgood, Mrs. Elizabeth Burling
*Page, Mrs. Susan Haskell
*Paige, John Calvin
Paine, James Leonard
Paine, Mrs. Mary Woolson
*Paine, Robert Treat
Paine, William Alfred
*Palfrey, Francis Winthrop
*Palfrey, John Carver
*Palmer, Benjamin Sanborn
Palmer, Ezra
Palmer, William Lincoln
Park, Lawrence
Parker, Augustus Hamilton
*Parker, Charles Wallingford
Parker, Edward Ludlow
Parker, Miss Eleanor Stanley

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Parker, Frederick Wesley
*Parker, Harrison
Parker, Herman
Parker, James Phillips
*Parker, Mason Good
*Parker, Moses Greeley
*Parker, Miss Sarah
Parker, William Stanley
Parkhurst, Lewis
*Parkman, Francis
Parlin, Albert Norton
Parmenter, James Parker
*Parsons, Arthur Jeffrey
Parsons, William Edwin
Patten, William Samuel
*Payne, James Henry
*Peabody, Charles Breckenridge
Peabody, Charles Livingston
*Peabody, Frank Everett
Peabody, Harold
*Peabody, John Endicott
Peabody, Philip Glendower
Pearce, Arthur Paul
Pearson, Arthur Emmons
Peirce, Mrs. Elizabeth Goldthwaite
Peirce, Silas
Pelletier, Joseph Charles
*Perkins, Augustus Thorndike
*Perkins, Mrs. Catherine Page
*Perkins, Edward Cranch
Perkins, John Forbes
*Perkins, William
*Perry, Charles French
*Perry, Edward Hale
Perry, Thomas Sergeant
Peters, Andrew James
Peters, Paul Anthony
Pfaff, Charles
*Pfaff, Mrs. Hannah Adams
*Pfaff, Jacob
Phelan, James Joseph
Phillips, Mrs. Anna Tucker
Phillips, Henry Ayling
Phillips, John Charles
Phinney, Horatio Augustus
*Pickering, Henry
Pickering, Henry Goddard
Pickman, Dudley Leavitt, Jr.
*Pierce, Henry Lillie
*Pierce, Nathaniel Willard
Pillsbury, Albert Enoch
*Piper, William Taggard
Playfair, Edith, Lady
Plimpton, Theodore Barnet
Pond, Virgil Clarence
*Poole, Lucius
*Porter, Alexander Silvanus
*Porter, Edward Griffin
*Porter, William Killam, Jr.
*Potter, Henry Staples
Powell, William Beverley
Prager, Benjamin Adams
*Prager, Philip
Prager, Mrs. Rachel
*Prang, Louis
Prang, Mrs. Mary Dana
Pratt, Mrs. Fannie Barnard
Pratt, Laban
Pratt, Waldo Elliott
Pratt, Walter Merriam
*Prendergast, James Maurice
*Prescott, Alfred Usher
*Prescott, Walter Conway
Preston, George Marshall
Pridee, William Henry
*Prince, Charles John
Prior, Lerman Chester
*Proctor, Mrs. Abby Shaw
*Pulsifer, William Henry
Pushee, George Durant
Pushee, John Edward
*Putnam, Mrs. Harriet Lowell
*Putnam, Mrs. Mary Lowell
*Putnam, William Edward
Quinby, Winfield Scott
Quincy, Charles Frederic
Quincy, George Gilbert
*Quincy, George Henry
Quincy, Mrs. Mary Adams
Quincy, Mrs. Mary Caroline

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*Quincy, Samuel Miller
Rackermann, Charles Sedgwick
*Radclyffe, Herbert
Ratshesky, Abraham Captain
Rawson, Edward Lincoln
*Raymond, Freeborn Fairfield, 2d
Read, Charles French
*Read, Mrs. Lucy Richmond
*Read, Miss Sarah Elizabeth
Reed, Brooks
*Reed, Mrs. Grace Evelyn
*Reed, Henry Ransford
*Reed, James
Reed, John Sampson
Reed, William Howard
*Reed, William Howell
Remick, Timothy
*Reynolds, John Phillips
Rhodes, James Ford
Rice, Edward David
Rich, Everett Blaine
Rich, William Ellery Channing
Richards, Francis Henry
*Richards, Henry Capen
*Richardson, Albert Lewis
*Richardson, Benjamin Heber
Richardson, Edward Bridge
*Richardson, Edward Cyrenius
*Richardson, Maurice Howe
*Richardson, Spencer Wells
Richardson, William Lambert
Richardson, William Streeter
Richmond, Joshua Bailey
Riley, Charles Edward
*Riley, James Madison
*Ripley, George
*Rivers, Miss Mary
Robb, Herman Ostro
Robb, Russell
Robinson, Edward
*Roby, Mrs. Cynthia Coggeshall
*Rodocanachi, John Michael
Rogers, Robert
Rogerson, Charles Edward
Root, Henry Augustus
*Ropes, John Codman
*Ross, Alphonso
Rotch, William
Rothwell, James Eli
Ruggles, Charles Albert
Runkle, John Cornelius
Russell, Joseph Ballister
Russell, Mrs. Margaret Pelham
Russell, Richard Spofford
*Russell, Samuel Hammond
*Rust, Nathaniel Johnson
*Rutan, Charles Hercules
*Saltonstall, Richard Middlecott
Sampson, Charles Edward
*Sampson, Edwin Holbrook
Sands, Mrs. Florence Josephine
Sanford, John Edward Menemon
Sargent, Charles Sprague
Sargent, Miss Louisa Lee
*Sawyer, Henry Nathan
Searle, John Endicott
*Sears, Alexander Pomroy
Sears, Harold Carney
Sears, Henry Francis
Sears, Herbert Mason
Sears, Horace Scudder
*Sears, Joshua Montgomery
Sears, Mrs. Mary Crowninshield
Sears, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth
Sears, Richard Dudley
*Seaver, William James
Sederquist, Arthur Butman
Sewall, Atherton
Sharp, George Henry Loring
Shattuck, Frederick Cheyne
Shattuck, George Brune
Shattuck, Henry Lee
Shaw, Mrs. Annie Whipple
Shaw, Charles Nason
Shaw, Mrs. Cora Lyman
*Shaw, Henry
*Shaw, Henry Lyman
Shaw, Henry Southworth
Shaw, Henry Southworth, Jr.
Shaw, Robert Gould

* Deceased.

Sheldon, Frank Merritt
Shelton, Benjamin Homer
*Shepard, Willis Stratton
Sherry, Frank Eaton
Shillaber, William Green
*Shimmin, Charles Franklin
Shultis, Newton
*Shuman, Abraham
Shuman, Edwin Arthur
Shumway, Franklin Peter
*Sigourney, Henry
*Simpson, Frank Ernest
*Skinner, Francis
*Skinner, Francis
*Slafter, Edmund Farwell
*Slater, Andrew Chapin
Slater, Mrs. Mabel Hunt
Sleeper, Stephen Westcott
*Slocum, Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth
*Slocum, William Henry
Smith, Miss Ellen Vose
Smith, Fitz-Henry, Jr.
Smith, Frank Ernest
*Smith, Joseph Warren
Smith, Miss Mary Almira
Smith, Robert Boynton
Smith, Walter Edwin
Snow, Franklin Augustus
Sohier, Miss Elizabeth Putnam
Sohier, William Davies
*Sortwell, Alvin Foye
Soule, Miss Sarah Marden
Spalding, Philip Leffingwell
*Spaulding, Mrs. Emily Steward
Spaulding, John Taylor
Spaulding, William Stuart
*Sprague, Francis Peleg
Sprague, Isaac
Sprague, Phineas Warren
*Squire, Frank Orvis
*Stafford, George Lewis
*Stanwood, James Rindge
Stearns, Foster Waterman
Stearns, Frank Waterman
Stearns, Harris Brackett
*Stearns, Richard Hall
Steinert, Alexander
*Stetson, Amos William
Stetson, James Henry
Stetson, John Alpheus
*Stevens, Miss Helen Grenville
*Stevens, Oliver
Stewart, Andrew
Stockford, Hugh Johnston
Stodder, Charles Frederick
Stone, Charles Augustus
Stone, Charles Wellington
*Stone, William Eben
*Storey, Joseph Charles
Stowell, Edmund Channing
*Stowell, John
Stratton, Solomon Piper
*Strauss, Ferdinand
*Strauss, Peter Ernest
Streeter, Edward Clark
Sturgis, John Hubbard
*Sturgis, Robert Shaw
*Sturgis, Russell
*Sumner, Alfred Henry
*Suter, Hales Wallace
*Swan, William Willard
*Sweetser, Mrs. Anne Maria
*Sweetser, Isaac Homer
Swift, Francis Hathaway
Swift, George Hastings
Swift, Henry Walton
Sylvester, Edmund Quincy
*Taft, Edward Augustine
Taggard, Henry
Talbot, Miss Marion
Taylor, Amos Leavitt
*Taylor, Charles Henry
Taylor, Charles Henry
Taylor, Charles Henry, Jr.
Taylor, Moseley
Taylor, William Herbert
Taylor, William Osgood
*Thacher, Henry Charles
Thacher, Mrs. Julia Edgar
Thacher, Louis Bartlett

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Thacher, Thomas Chandler
*Thayer, Bayard
Thayer, Charles Irving
*Thayer, David
Thayer, Edwin Murray
Thayer, Mrs. Ethel Randolph
*Thayer, Eugene Van Rensselaer
Thayer, Frank Bartlett
Thayer, John Eliot
*Thayer, Mrs. Mary
Thorndike, Albert
Thorndike, Alden Augustus
Thorndike, Augustus
*Thorndike, George Quincy
Thorndike, Townsend William
*Thornton, Charles Cutts Gookin
*Tileston, James Clarke
*Tinkham, George Henry
Todd, Thomas
Todd, Thomas, Jr.
*Tomkins, Arthur Gordon
*Tomkins, Eugene
*Tomkins, Mrs. Frances Henrietta
Towle, Loren Delbert
Traiser, Richard Ernest
Tripp, Guy Eastman
*Tucker, Alanson
Tucker, George Fox
*Tucker, James Crehore
*Tucker, Lawrence
Tufts, Bowen
Tufts, Leonard
*Turner, Alfred Rogers
Turner, Mrs. Cora Leslie
*Turner, Edward
*Turner, Job Abiel
Tyler, Charles Hitchcock
Tyler, Edward Royal
*Underwood, Mrs. Caroline Susanna
Underwood, Miss Mabel Whitney
Underwood, Miss Mary Robinson
Underwood, Miss Sophia Amelia
*Underwood, William Lawrence
Upham, George Phinehas
*Upton, George Bruce
*Vail, Theodore Newton
Van Nostrand, Alonzo Gifford
Verne, Bernard Paul
*Vose, James Whiting
*Wadsworth, Alexander Fairfield
Wadsworth, Eliot
Wadsworth, Mrs. Lucy Goodwin
Wales, William Quincy
Walker, Arthur Willis
Walker, Charles Cobb
*Walker, Francis Amasa
*Walker, Grant
*Wallace, Cranmore Nesmith
Walsh, David Ignatius
Ward, Miss Caroline Elizabeth
*Ward, Francis Jackson
*Warden, William Francis
Wardwell, Jacob Otis
Ware, Miss Mary Lee
*Warner, Bela Hemenway
*Warren, Albert Cyrus
Warren, Edward Ross
Warren, John Collins
Warren, Lucius Henry
Warren, Ralph Lambert
*Warren, Samuel Dennis
*Warren, Mrs. Susan Cornelia
Warren, William Fairfield
*Warren, William Wilkins
Wasgatt, Herbert Preston
Waterman, Frank Arthur
Waterman, Frank Sturtevant
*Waters, Edwin Forbes
Watkins, Walter Kendall
Watters, Walter Frederick
Webber, Franklin Roscoe
Webster, Edwin Sibley
Webster, Frank George
*Webster, John Haskell
Weeks, John Wingate
Welch, Edward Sohier
*Welch, Francis Clarke
*Weld, Mrs. Caroline Langdon
*Weld, Daniel

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*Weld, John Davis
*Weld, Otis Everett
*Weld, Richard Harding, Jr.
Wellington, Miss Anna Colburn
Wellman, Arthur Holbrook
Wells, Mrs. Emily Walker
Wells, Wellington
*Wendell, Barrett
*Wentworth, Alonzo Bond
Wesson, James Leonard
West, Herbert Thomas
*West, Mrs. Olivia Sears
Westbrook, John Beekman
*Weston, Mrs. Francis Erving
Weston, Wendell Maro
Wetherbee, Winthrop
Wheeler, Horace Leslie
*Wheelwright, Andrew Cunningham
*Wheelwright, Edward
Wheelwright, Mrs. Elizabeth Boott
*Wheelwright, Mrs. Isaphene Moore
*Wheelwright, Josiah
*Wheildon, William Wilder
Whidden, Stephen Hampden
*Whipple, Joseph Reed
Whipple, Sherman Leland
Whitcher, Frank Weston
*Whitcomb, Henry Clay
Whitcomb, Howard
White, Austin Treadwill
*White, Charles Tallman
*White, George Robert
White, Harry Kent
*White, John Gardner
*White, McDonald Ellis
*White, Mrs. Sarah Brackett
*White, Miss Susan Jackson
Whitman, Allen Hiram
Whitman, Hendricks Hallett
Whitman, William
*Whitmore, Charles John
*Whitmore, Charles Octavius
*Whitney, Mrs. Caroline Abbe
*Whitney, Henry Austin
*Whitney, James Lyman
Whittemore, Horace Alan
*Whittington, Hiram
*Wigglesworth, Edward
Wigglesworth, George
Willcomb, Mrs. Martha Stearns
*Willcutt, Francis Henry
*Willcutt, Levi Lincoln
Willcutt, Levi Lincoln
*Willcutt, Mrs. Mary Ann Phillips
Willcutt, Miss Sarah Edith
*Williams, Benjamin Bangs
*Williams, Edward Henry
*Williams, Henry Dudley
*Williams, Henry Willard
Williams, Holden Pierce
Williams, Horace Dudley Hall
Williams, John Davis
*Williams, Miss Louise Harding
Williams, Ralph Blake
*Williams, Samuel Stevens Coffin
Williams, Stillman Pierce
*Wilson, Davies
Wilson, Mrs. Mary Ascension
*Winchester, Daniel Low
*Winchester, Thomas Bradlee
Winslow, Arthur
Winslow, William Copley
Winsor, Frederic
Winsor, Miss Mary Pickard
Winsor, Robert
Winthrop, Frederic
*Winthrop, Robert Charles, Jr.
Winthrop, Mrs. Robert Charles, Jr.
Winthrop, Robert Mason
*Wise, John Perry
*Withington, Charles Francis
Withington, Mrs. Georgiana Bowen
Wolcott, Mrs. Edith Prescott
Wood, William Madison
Woodbury, John
*Woodbury, John Page
*Woodman, Cyrus
Woodman, Walter Irving
*Woods, Frank Forrest

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Woods, Frederick Adams
*Woods, Henry
Woodworth, Herbert Grafton
*Woolley, William
*Woolson, Mrs. Annie Williston
*Woolson, James Adams
Worcester, Elwood
Worcester, Joseph Ruggles
Wright, Albert Edwin
*Wright, Albert Judd
*Wright, Charles Francis
*Wright, Miss Esther Fidelia
*Wright, John Gordon
*Wright, William James
Young, Edmund Sanford
*Young, George

* Deceased.

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Adams, Edward Ellis
Adams, Henry Sewall
Adams, John
Adams, Norman Illsley
Aiken, Henry Merk Smith
Ainsley, Mrs. Emily Louisa
Aldrich, Edward Irving
Allen, Charles Edgar
Allen, Charles Willard
Allen, Frederick Baylies
Allen, William Lothrop
Alley, Arthur Humphrys
Ames, Oliver
Amory, Roger
Anderson, Elbridge Roberts
Anthony, Stanley
Appleton, Samuel
Atkins, Edwin Farnsworth
Avery, Charles French
Bacon, George Andrew
Bailey, Robert Morris
Barbour, Edmund Dana
Barlow, Frederic
*Bartlett, Nelson Slater
Bates, Van Ness How
Bayley, Edward Bancroft
Baylies, Walter Cabot
Beal, Boylston Adams
Beal, Henry Williamson
Beal, Horatio Williams
Beebe, Franklin Huntington
*Beebe, Frederic
Belden, Charles Francis Dorr
Bemis, Frank Brewer
Benedict, Clarence Barrett
Berry, John King
Best, William Hall
Bigelow, Alanson
Bird, Frank Metcalf
Bishop, George Lester
Blackall, Clarence Howard
Blake, Arthur
Blake, Mrs. Mary Lee
Blinn, George Richard
Bliss, Elmer Jared
Bliss, Miss Harriet Maria
Bliss, James Frederick
Blodget, William
Boardman, Mrs. Alice Louisa
Bond, Mrs. Isabella Bacon
Bond, Lawrence
Bowdidge, Thomas Henry
*Bowditch, Charles Pickering
Brackett, Jeffrey Richardson
Bradlee, Edward Chamberlin
Bradlee, Miss Helen West
Braley, Henry King
Bray, William Claxton
Bremer, Theodore Glover
Brewer, Daniel Chauncey
Brewer, Edward May
Briggs, William Churchill
Brock, Elbert Hill
Brown, Arthur Eastman
Brown, Edward Holmes
Brown, Miss Eliza Otis
Brown, George Hollister
Brown, Mrs. Hannah Davenport
Brown, Howard Kinmouth
Brown, Howard Nicholson
Brown, Joseph Taylor
Brown, Willard Dalrymple
Brown, Winfield Martin
Bruen, John Albert
Buckminster, William Read
Bullivant, William Malcolm

* Deceased.

Burbeck, Edward
Burgess, John Eustis
Burke, Mrs. Mary Carroll
Burr, George Houston
Burr, Heman Merrick
Burt, Arthur Holton
Burton, Hiram McKnight
Bush, Samuel Dacre
Butler, William Morgan
Carpenter, Irving Francis
Carr, Ashton Livermore
Carr, Samuel
Carroll, Francis Michael
Carter, Clarence Howard
Carter, James Richard
Case, Miss Marian Roby
Chalmers, Alexander
Champney, Walter Redfern
Chapple, Joe Mitchell
Charlton, Robert Theodore
Chase, Arthur Taft
Cheever, David
Cheney, Mrs. Elizabeth Stickney
Child, John Howard
Churchill, William Worcester
Chute, Arthur Lambert
Claflin, William Henry, Jr.
Clark, Charles Storey
Clark, Miss Elizabeth Hodges
Clark, Frederic Simmons
Clark, Isaiah Raymond
Clark, Joseph Horace
Clark, Mrs. Susan Day
Clarke, Arthur French
Clarke, George Kuhn
Clarke, William Butler
Cleaves, Charles Henry
Cleveland, Frank Ernest
Cobb, William Henry
Coffin, Charles Albert
Colburn, Frederick Wilkinson
Comstock, William Ogilvie
Conant, Lewis Kingsbury
Conrad, Sidney Smith
Cook, Frederick Sargent
Coolidge, Harold Jefferson
Coolidge, Louis Arthur
Cotter, James Edward
Cox, Raymond Benjamin
Crandon, Le Roi Goddard
Crane, Walter Sanger
Crooker, Conrad Wingate
Cummings, Henry Havelock
Cummings, Mrs. Margaret Kimball
Curtis, Joseph Henry
Curtis, Nathaniel
Cushing, Arthur Percy
Cushing, Grafton Dulany
Dana, Arthur Payson
Dane, Ernest Blaney
Daniels, William Peck
Dary, Mrs. Elizabeth Tuttle
Davenport, Charles Milton
Davenport, Edward Means
Davis, Harold Stearns
Davis, Harrison Merrill
Davis, Herbert Tolman
Dearborn, John
Decatur, Mrs. Helen R.
Degen, George Frederic
Dennison, Herbert Elmer
Dewick, Francis Augustine
Dexter, Gordon
Dexter, Louis Colby
Diehl, Harold David
Dillworth, Joseph Dennis
*Dolliver, Watson Shields
Dow, Charles Pike
Downs, Jere Arthur
Dowse, Charles Francis
Duff, John
Duff, John
Dumaine, Frederic Christopher
Dunbar, Ralph Walton
Dunne, Frank Lysaght
Dupee, William Arthur
Dyer, Herbert Hunter
Eaton, Robert Keller
Edwards, Francis Marshall
Edwards, Justin

* Deceased.

Eliot, Amory
Elliott, Mrs. Maud Howe
Ellis, Augustus Hobart
Ellis, Benjamin Peirce
Ellis, Emmons Raymond
Emerson, Robert Leonard
Emerson, William Herbert
Emmons, Mrs. Helen Brooks
Endicott, Thorndike Howe
Everett, Franklin Chester
Falvey, Charles Anthony
Farley, William Thayer
Farnham, Edward Emery
*Farnsworth, Miss Alice
Farrar, Frederick Albert
Favinger, Charles Luff
Fay, William Rodman
Fearing, George Richmond
Field, Frederick Tarbell
Fisher, Willis Richardson
Fisk, Everett Olin
Fisk, Otis Daniell
Fiske, Charles Arthur
Fiske, Redington
Fitz, Miss Louise
Flagg, Elisha
Flanders, Howard Augustus
Flye, Louis Edwin
Fobes, Edwin Francis
Forbes, Allan
Forbes, James Murray
Foss, Granville Edward, Jr.
Foster, Charles Henry Wheelwright
*Foster, Elmer George
Foster, Frederick
Foster, Hatherly
Foster, John McGaw
Fowle, Donald Adams
Fox, Walter Sylvester
*Francis, Nathaniel Atwood
Freeman, Ernest Lincoln
Freeman, Leslie Richard
Freeman, Warren Franklin
French, Asa Palmer
French, Wilfred Augustus
Frenning, John Erasmus
Friedman, Lee Max
Fuller, Alfred Worcester
Fuller, Harold Sylvester
Galvin, Thomas Francis
Gary, Frank Ephraim Herbert
Gaston, William Alexander
Gibbs, Edward, Jr.
*Gilchrist, George Edward
Goldsmith, Warren Henry
Goodbar, Joseph Ernest
Goodnow, Daniel
Goodspeed, Charles Eliot
Gordon, Saul Sumner
Goulston, Edward Selmar
Grafton, Harrie Craig
Gray, Miss Harriet
Gray, Joseph Phelps
Greene, Mrs. Charlotte Nichols
Greenough, Malcolm Scollay
Gluesian, Moses Hadji
Hale, Philip
Hall, Charles Wells
Hall, Edwin Adams
Hall, Thomas Hills
Hallett, Daniel Bunker
Hallett, William Russell
Ham, Robert Lyman
Hamlin, Charles Sumner
Hannigan, John Edward
Harrington, George Sumner
Harris, Howard Simpson
Hart, Francis Russell
Hart, Mrs. Martha Susan
Harvey, George Wallace
Haskell, Alfred Tracy
Haskell, Edward Howard
Hastings, Clifford Bicknell
Hatch, Edward Augustus
Hatfield, Charles Edwin
Hathaway, Horatio, Jr.
Heath, Miss Eadith deC.
Hedge, Henry Rogers
Henderson, James Dougald
Hersey, Francis Coney

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Hewins, Edmund Dunbar
Hiler, Ernest Osgood
Hitchcock, Edward Francis
Hobbs, Samuel
*Hockley, Mrs. Amelia Daniell
Hollingsworth, Mrs. Mary C.
Homans, Robert
Hood, Frederick Clarke
Hooper, Sewall Henry
Hopkins, Mrs. Maria Theresa
Hopkins, Russell Norman
Horn, Everett Byron
Hough, Charles Thacher
Hovey, Philip Rogers
Howard, Alfred Henry
Howe, Henry Saltonstall
Howe, Walter Clarke
Howes, Mrs. Alice Maude
Huckins, Harry
Humphrey, Henry Bauer *
Hunneman, Carleton
Hunt, Miss Abby White
Hunt, Charles
Hunt, Harry Hampton
Huntoon, Edward James Baker
Hutchins, Edward Webster
Hutchinson, Henry
Iasigi, Miss Mary Vitalis
Jackson, Joseph Maddocks
Jackson, Robert Tracy
James, George Barker
James, Thomas Marriot
Jaques, Henry Percy
Jeffries, William Augustus
Jenney, Bernard
Johnson, Miss Annie June
Johnson, Edward Crosby
Jones, Fred Kinsman Mudge
*Jones, Mrs. Sarah Gavett
Jones, Stephen Rosseter
Jones, William Bassett
Jordan, Mrs. Helen Lincoln
Kearns, William Francis
Kelley, James Edward
Kelly, Herbert Lawrence
Kelly, William
Kemp, Edward Clark
Kendall, Mrs. Harriott Magoun
Kendall, Henry Hubbard
Kennedy, Miss Louise
Keyes, George Shepard
Kimball, Miss Helen Frances
*Kimball, Herbert Wood
King, Miss Caroline Webster
King, Delcevare
King, Samuel Gelston
Kissock, George Alexander
*Knight, Clarence Howard
Knowles, John Appleton
Knowles, Winfield Scott
Larcom, George Francis
Larkin, William Harrison, Jr.
Lawrence, Amos Amory
Lawrence, William
Lawson, Arthur Andrew
Leatherbee, Charles William
Leland, George Adams
Levitan, Hyman
Lewis, Walter Carr
Lincoln, Albert Lamb
Lincoln, William Henry
Locke, Isaac Henry
Locke, Wilbur Sargent
Longfellow, Miss Alice Mary
Longley, Edmund Waters
Loomis, Elihu Goodman
Lord, Charles Edward
Loring, Caleb
Loring, Kimball Atherton
Lothrop, Lewis Waterbury
Lothrop, Thornton Kirkland
Lovett, Augustus Sidney
*Lund, Joseph Wheelock
Lyman, George Hinckley
Macdonnell, Andrew Joseph
Macomber, Frank Gair
Macurda, William Everett
Mann, Frank Chester
Mann, Miss Gertrude Whitney
Mann, William Justin

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Manning, Miss Abby Francis
Mansfield, Gideon Marion
Marble, Cyrus Clark
Marcy, Charles DeWitt
Martin, Edward Irving
Martin, Mrs. Minnie Anderson
Marvin, George Ritchie
Marvin, Thomas Oliver
Mason, Arthur Ellery
Mason, Miss Fanny Peabody
May, John Pierpont
Maynard, Herbert
McGlenen, Edward Webster
McGlinchy, Andrew Joseph
McIntire, Frederic May
McIssac, Daniel Vincent
McKay, Nichols Litchfield
McKissock, William
McLellan, Edward
Means, Charles Johnson
Mendum, Frank Willis
Merriam, John McKinstry
Merrill, Albert Brown
Meyer, Miss Héloise
Milton, Henry Slade
*Minot, Laurence
Mock, Emanuel Elias
Monks, Frank Hawthorne
Moody, Mrs. Elizabeth Dana
Morse, Horace Henry
Morse, William Albert
Morse, William Russell
Moseley, Frank
Moseley, Frederick Strong
Munroe, James Phinney
Murphy, Gardner Ellsworth
Nash, Mrs. Bennett Hubbard
Nash, Samuel Young
Newell, Franklin Spilman
Newell, James Montgomery
Newhall, George Warren
Nichols, Charles Eliot
Nichols, Chester Wellington
Nichols, Leonard Bailey
Noyes, Frank Albert
*Noyes, Increase Eldredge
Nute, Herbert Newell
Nutter, George Read
Ober, Charles Edward
O'Brien, Edward Francis
O'Connell, Daniel Theodore
O'Connell, Patrick Augustine
O'Connell, William Henry
Osgood, Charles Edward
Osgood, William Bakeman
Palmer, Bradley Webster
Park, Charles Edwards
Parker, George Francis
Parsons, Miss Charlotte
Payson, Gilbert Russell
Pecker, Miss Annie Josephine
*Penhallow, Charles Sherburne
Perkins, George Grindley Spence
Perry, Mrs. Olive Augusta
Peters, William York
Phillips, Alexander VanCleve
Pierce, Mryon Everett
Pierce, Roscoe
Pollard, George Edward
Pollock, Robert Thomas
Poor, Charles Henry, Jr.
Poor, James Ridgway
Porter, Alexander Silvanus
Porter, John Lyman
Powers, Richard
Pratt, Louis Mortimer
Pratt, Winthrop Ernest
Prendergast, Miss Julia Catherine
Proctor, George Burroughs
Proctor, Samuel Eugene
Prouty, Gardner Wheelock
Putney, Henry Marshall
Radway, William Sumner
Rand, Monroe Crowell
Rand, Waldron Holmes
Rawson, Edward Calvin
Reed, Alanson Henry
Reed, Henry Beecher
Reed, Robert Crosby
Reggio, André Carney

* Deceased

Remick, Frank Woodbury
Remick, John Anthony
Renwick, William Gordon
Revere, William Bacon
Rice, David
Rice, Fred Ball
Rich, William Thayer
Rich, Willis Doane
Ridgway, Charles Lowell
Ripley, Alfred Lawrence
Robinson, Thomas Pendleton
Rockwell, Carlos Perry
Rogers, Miss Susan Snow
Rollins, Harry Leighton
Ross, Mrs. Caroline Emily
Rousmaniere, Edmund Swett
Rowe, Allan Winter
Rowe, Henry Sherburne
Rugg, Arthur Prentice
Rugg, Frederic Waldo
Ruhl, Edward
Russell, Andrew LeBaron
Russell, Mrs. Frances Spofford
Russell, Harry Browning
Sanborn, Miss Alice Taylor
Sawyer, Miss Mary Cummings
Schrafft, William Edward
Scudder, Winthrop Saltonstall
Seamans, Mrs. Caroline Story
Sears, Philip Shelton
Sears, Richard
Sears, William Richards
Seaver, Benjamin Frank
Seaver, Robert
Sellman, John Henry
Sergeant, Charles Spencer
Shannon, George Thomas
Shaw, Francis
Sherrill, Edgar Braman
Shurtleff, Miss Sarah
Silsby, T. Julien
Simes, William
Slater, Robert
Smith, Albert Pratt
Smith, Benjamin Farnham
Smith, Mrs. Harriet Elizabeth
Smith, James Bowdoin Bradlee
Smith, Louis Carter
Solis, Andrew Jackson
Somes, Dana Barry
Sparhawk, Edward Epps
*Sprague, Mrs. Emeline Martha
Stafford, Morgan Hewitt
Staniford, Daniel
Stanton, Miss Katherine
Staples, Henry Corcell
*Stearns, Albert Henry
Stearns, Charles Henry
Stearns, James Pierce
Stevens, Mrs. Elizabeth Caldwell
Stevens, Jesse Fenno
*Stevens, Samuel Dale
Stevens, William Studley Bartlett
Stevenson, Miss Margaret
Stevenson, Robert Hooper
Stinson, Alvah LaForrest
Stoddard, Chester Stillman
Stone, Edward Henry
Stone, Mrs. Minna Harris
Storey, Moorfield
Stratton, Charles Edwin
Strong, Mrs. Mary Baker
Stuart, Frederick William
Sturgis, Richard Clipston
Sullivan, Daniel Aloysius
Swan, George Arthur
Sweet, Henry Nettleton
Sylvester, Joseph Smith
Talbot, Dudley
Tapley, Henry Fuller
Thompson, Marshall Putnam
*Thorndike, Augustus Larkin
Thorp, Joseph Gilbert
Throckmorton, John Wakefield Francis
Tilton, George Prescott
Toppan, Roland Worthington
Trask, William Ropes
Troup, Charles Alexander Stewart
Tuttle, Charles Henry

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Tuttle, Julius Herbert
*Underwood, Henry Oliver
Vialle, Charles Augustus
Vincent, Miss Susan Walker
Vose, Robert Churchill
Wainwright, Robert
Wait, William Cushing
Walker, John Ballantyne
Ward, Joseph Frederic
Warner, Clarance Mackdonald
Warren, Bentley Wirt
Warren, Fiske
Warren, George Copp
Warren, Herbert Marshall
Warren, Samuel Dennis
Warshauer, Sidney Milton
Washburn, George Hamlin
Watson, Frank Leroy
Weeks, Warren Bailey Potter
Wellington, Alfred Easton
Wellington, Arthur W.
Wells, Franklin
Wetherbee, Frederic Adolphus
Wharton, Mrs. Susan Carberry
Wheeler, Frederick Lewis
Wheeler, George Henry
Wheeler, Henry
Wheelwright, William Bond
White, Miss Gertrude Richardson
Whiting, Walter Rogers
Whitney, Nelson
Whitney, Richard Skinner
Whittemore, Arby Clifford
Whittier, Albert Rufus
Whitwell, Frederick Silsbee
Wiggin, Charles Edward
Wiles, Thomas Linwood
Wilkinson, Alvin Thomas
Williams, David Weld
Winship, Addison Leslie
Winship, Albert Edward
Winslow, John Devereux
*Winthrop, Thomas Lindall
Wolf, Bernard Mark
Wolkins, George Gregerson
Wood, Arthur Goodwin
Wood, Irving
Woods, Joseph Fitz
Woodward, Charles Francis
*Woodward, Frank Ernest
Woodworth, Elijah Burghardt
Worcester, Clarence Irving
Wright, Charles Pierce
Wright, George Sumner
Wyman, Frank Wheelock
Wyman, Henry Augustus
Young, Philip
Young, William Hill

* Deceased.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Be it known that whereas THOMAS C. AMORY, CURTIS GUILD, JOHN WARD DEAN, DORUS CLARKE, SAMUEL M. QUINCY, WILLIAM S. APPLETON, THOMAS MINNS, HENRY F. JENKS, JOHN T. HASSAM, and DUDLEY R. CHILD, have associated themselves with the intention of forming a corporation under the name of

The Bostonian Society

for the purpose of promoting the study of the history of Boston, and the preservation of its antiquities, and have complied with the provisions of the Statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the President, Treasurer and Directors of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations and recorded in this office;

Now, Therefore, I, Henry B. Peirce, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, **do hereby certify** that said THOMAS C. AMORY, CURTIS GUILD, JOHN WARD DEAN, DORUS CLARKE, SAMUEL M. QUINCY, WILLIAM S. APPLETON, THOMAS MINNS, HENRY F. JENKS, JOHN T. HASSAM and DUDLEY R. CHILD, their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as and are hereby made an existing corporation under the name of

The Bostonian Society

with the powers, rights and privileges and subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions, which by law, appertain thereto.

Witness my official signature hereunto subscribed and the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

[Signed]

HENRY B. PEIRCE,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

THE BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

ORGANIZED TO PROMOTE THE STUDY OF THE HISTORY OF BOSTON AND THE PRESERVATION OF ITS ANTIQUITIES

BY-LAWS

I

OBJECTS

It shall be the duty of members, so far as may be in their power, to carry out the objects of the Society, by collecting, by gift, loan or purchase, books, manuscripts, and pictures, and by such other suitable means as may from time to time seem expedient.

II

MEMBERS

The members of the Bostonian Society shall be such persons, either resident or non-resident in Boston, as shall be elected to membership. Election shall be made by ballot by the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting.

III

HONORARY MEMBERS

Honorary Members shall be nominated by the Directors, and shall be elected by ballot by two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may take part in the meetings of the Society, but shall not be entitled to vote.

IV

ADMISSION FEE AND ASSESSMENTS

Each member shall pay five dollars at the time of his or her admission, and five dollars each first day of January afterwards, into the treasury of the Society for its general purposes; provided, however, that no person joining the Society on or after the first day of October in any year shall be required to pay an additional assessment for the year commencing on the first day of January following.

If any member shall neglect to pay his or her admission fee or annual assessment, for three months after the same is due, he or she shall be liable

to forfeit his or her membership at any time when the Directors shall so order.

The payment of the sum of thirty dollars in any one year by any member of the Society shall constitute him or her a life member of the Society; life members shall be free from assessments, and entitled to all the rights and privileges of annual members. The money received for such life membership shall constitute a fund, of which not more than twenty per cent., together with the annual income, shall be spent in any one year.

V

CERTIFICATES

Certificates, signed by the President and the Clerk, shall be issued, on application, to all persons who become life members of the Society.

VI

MEETINGS

The annual meeting of the Society shall be held on the third Tuesday in January, and regular meetings shall be held on the third Tuesday of every month, excepting June, July, August and September, at such time and place as the Directors shall appoint. Special meetings shall be called by the Clerk, under the instruction of the Directors.

At all meetings ten members shall be a quorum for business. All Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise ordered.

Any business which has not been acted on by the Directors shall be referred to them without debate, at the request of any member present.

VII

OFFICERS

The Officers of the Society shall consist of a President, Vice-President and seven other Directors, a Clerk and a Treasurer.

The Directors, Clerk and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting in January, and shall hold office for one year, and until others are duly elected in their stead. The President and Vice-President shall be elected by the Board of Directors from their number. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

VIII

VACANCIES

Any vacancies in the offices of the Society may be filled for the remainder of their term by the Board of Directors, at any regular meeting, to serve until the next annual meeting of the Society. In the absence of the Clerk at any meeting, a Clerk *pro tempore* shall be chosen for that meeting.

IX

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

At the monthly meeting in December, a Nominating Committee of five persons shall be appointed, who shall report at the annual meeting a list of candidates for the places to be filled.

X

PRESIDING OFFICER

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings. In the absence of both, a President *pro tempore* shall be chosen from the Board of Directors.

XI

DUTIES OF THE CLERK

The Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duties.

He shall notify all meetings of the Society. He shall keep an exact record of all the proceedings of the meetings of the Society, and of its Directors.

He shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society, and place on file all letters received.

He shall enter the names of members systematically in books kept for the purpose, and issue certificates of life membership.

The Clerk shall have such charge of all property in the possession of the Society as may from time to time be delegated to him by the Board of Directors.

He shall acknowledge each loan or gift that may be made to and accepted in behalf of the Society.

XII

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER

The Treasurer shall collect all moneys due to the Society, and pay all bills against the Society, when approved by the Board of Directors.

He shall keep a full account of the receipts and expenditures in a book belonging to the Society, which shall always be open to the inspection of the Directors; and at the annual meeting in January he shall make a written report of all his doings for the year preceding.

The Treasurer shall give bond in the sum of one hundred dollars, with one surety, for the faithful discharge of his duties.

XIII

DUTIES AND POWERS OF DIRECTORS

The Directors shall superintend and conduct the prudential and executive business of the Society; shall authorize all expenditures of money;

fix all salaries; provide a common seal; receive and act upon all resignations and forfeitures of membership, and see that the By-Laws are duly complied with.

The Directors shall have full power to comply with the terms of the lease of the rooms in the Old State House, made with the City of Boston, and to make all necessary rules and regulations required in the premises.

They shall annually, in the month of April, make careful comparison of the articles in the possession of the Society with the list to be returned to the City of Boston under the terms of the lease, and certify to its correctness.

They shall make a report of their doings at the annual meeting of the Society.

The Directors may, from time to time, appoint such sub-committees as they deem expedient.

XIV

MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS

Regular meetings of the Directors shall be held monthly, previous to the regular meetings of the Society.

Special meetings of the Directors shall be held in such manner as they may appoint; and a majority shall constitute a quorum for business.

XV

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint two Directors, who with the President, shall constitute the Committee of Finance, to examine from time to time, the books and accounts of the Treasurer; to audit his accounts at the close of the year, and to report upon the expediency of proposed expenditures of money.

XVI

STANDING COMMITTEES

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint six standing committees (of which the Clerk of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*), as follows:—

Committee on the Rooms

A committee of seven members, to be called the Committee on the Rooms, of which the President of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Rooms (except books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans); the hanging of pictures, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Papers

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Papers, who shall have charge of the subject of Papers to be read, or other exercises of a like nature, at the monthly meetings of the Society.

Committee on Membership

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on Membership, whose duty it shall be to give information in relation to the purposes of the Society, and increase its membership.

Committee on the Library

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on the Library, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Library, including the acceptance or rejection, of all books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Publications

A committee of four or more members, to be called the Committee on Publications, who shall have charge of all the Publications of the Society.

Committee on Memorials

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Memorials, who shall have charge of such Memorials as the Society may vote to erect.

These six committees shall perform the duties above set forth, under the general supervision of the Directors.

Vacancies which may occur in any of these committees during their term of service shall be filled by the President.

XVII

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may also be made by the like vote at any regular meeting, provided notice of the same be contained in a call for such meeting issued by the Clerk, and sent to every member.

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Committee on Publications

John W. Farwell
Albert Matthews
Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.
James M. Hunnewell
The Clerk

BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING

THE Forty-second Annual Meeting of the Bostonian Society was held in the Council Chamber of the Old State House, Boston, on Tuesday, January 16, 1923, at 3 P. M., in accordance with a notice mailed to every member. The President, Grenville H. Norcross, occupied the chair.

The records of the last monthly meeting were read and approved, and the following Reports were presented:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

To the Members of the Bostonian Society:

Your Directors have the honor of presenting their Annual Report for the past year:

MEMBERSHIP

At the close of the year there were in the Society:

Honorary Members	2
Life Members	741
Annual Members	567
Making a total of	1,310

A comparison of this record with that of one year ago shows that the Society has gained forty-seven members.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

The Annual Meeting and seven Monthly Meetings of the Society have been held during the past year; at these meetings the following papers have been read before the Society:

January 17: Annual Meeting. Annual Reports of the President, the Treasurer and the various Committees. Also,

in Commemoration of the Birthday of Benjamin Franklin, Walter B. Russell, Director of the Franklin Union addressed the Society on "What the Franklin Fund has done for Boston, his Birthplace."

February 21: "Washington's Visits to Boston"; illustrated by lantern slides; by the Clerk of the Society.

March 21: "Rochambeau" by Marshall Putnam Thompson.

April 18: "The Story of April 19, 1775 at Lexington and Concord; also Paul Revere's Ride; also the British March and Retreat" by Edward W. McGlenen, City Registrar of Boston; illustrated by lantern slides; read by the Clerk of the Society.

May 23: "Boston becomes a City, May 1, 1822, its Literary, Social and Artistic Development during the past one hundred years"; by Miss Martha A. Shannon; illustrated by lantern slides.

October 17: "The Evolution of the New England Meeting House"; by Edwin J. Lewis, Jr.; illustrated by lantern slides.

November 8: Commemoration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Great Boston Fire, November 9, 1872; "The Great Boston Fire"; by Lt. Col. John W. Decrow.

December 19: "Boston in the Last Days of the Town"; by Walter K. Watkins; illustrated by lantern slides.

NECROLOGY

During the past year we have learned of the deaths of the following forty-four members of the Society:

Died in 1921

Alonzo Norman Burbank, born in Franklin, N. H., October 9, 1843, died in Portland, Me., July 21.

Died in 1922

George Robert White, born in Lynn, July 19, 1847, died in Boston, January 27.

Charles Henry Bradley, born in Johnson, Vt., February 13, 1860, died at Thompson's Island, Boston Harbor, January 30.

George Storer Baldwin, born in Boston, June 16, 1866, died in Brookline, February 4.

Mrs. Sarah Gavett Jones, born in Boston, March 29, 1847, died in Brookline, February 6.

Frederick Beebe, born in Wakefield, September 1, 1857, died in Boston, February 20.

Shepherd Brooks, born in Baltimore, Md., July 23, 1837, died in Boston, February 21.

Samuel Dale Stevens, born in North Andover, June 16, 1859, died in North Andover, February 21.

James Eley, born in Horncastle, England, July 6, 1849, died in Boston, England, February 23.

William Payne Blake, born in Boston, July 23, 1846, died in Boston, March 7.

Augustus Larkin Thorndike, born in East Boston, August 10, 1861, died in Boston, March 10.

William Francis Warden, born in Bath, Me., June 2, 1872, died in New York, N. Y., March 22.

Mrs. Martha Jane Mace, born in Lowell, January 23, 1837, died in Chelsea, April 1.

David Crocker, born in Boston, February 15, 1846, died in Boston, April. 2.

Miss Georgina Lowell, born in Boston, January 10, 1836, died in Boston, April 5.

Justin Edwards, born in Rochester, N. Y., November 30, 1861, died in Boston, April 8.

Herbert Wood Kimball, born in Boston, March 3, 1840, died in Wabau, April 10.

Richard Middlecott Saltonstall, born in Newton, October 28, 1859, died in Brookline, April 17.

Ferdinand Strauss, born in Boston, April 8, 1852, died in Boston, April 24.

Joseph Wheelock Lund, born in Concord, N. H., March 14, 1867, died in Cambridge, May 6.

Charles Pierce Wright, born in Southport, Eng., August 13, 1845, died in Brookline, May 9.

John Alpheus Stetson, born in South Boston, July 28, 1844, died in Brookline, May 10.

Edward Holmes Brown, born in Salem, July 17, 1868, died in Salem, May 10.

Samuel Carr, born in Charlestown, November 18, 1848, died in Boston, May 29.

Edward McLellan, born in Newton, September 7, 1847, died in Newton Centre, June 14.

Mrs. Margaret Kimball Cummings, born in Boston, October 19, 1841, died in Topsfield, July 14.

George Deshorn Loud, born in East Boston, December 23, 1860, died in Allens Mills, Me., August 2.

Albert Rufus Whittier, born in Monroe, Me., February 1, 1840, died in Hyde Park, August 7.

Waldo Elias Boardman, born in Saco, Me., September 1, 1851, died in Omaha, Neb., August 14.

Mrs. Harriet Elizabeth Smith, born in Harvard, March 1, 1851, died in Phillips Beach, August 22.

Harold Clarence Ernst, born in Cincinnati, Ohio, July 31, 1856, died in Plymouth, September 7.

Henry Herbert Edes, born in Charlestown, March 29, 1849, died in Cambridge, October 13.

Francis Henry Manning, born in Boston, August 11, 1847, died in Boston, October 31.

William Kelly, born in Boston, March 10, 1850, died in South Boston, November 1.

James Pierce Stearns, born in Brookline, February 10, 1840, died in Brookline, November 9.

Horatio Greenough Curtis, born in Boston, February 2, 1844, died in Boston, November 16.

John Devereux Winslow, born in Raleigh, N. C., February 13, 1892, died in Boston, November 16.

Parker Dennis Morris, born in Boston, March 18, 1879, died in Boston, November 17.

John Lowell, born in Boston, May 23, 1856, died in Boston, December 3.

Charles French Avery, born in Brooklyn, N. Y., March 25, 1847, died in Newark, N. J., December 5.

Mrs. Cora Lyman Shaw, born in Boston, December 25, 1828, died in Boston, December 9.

Silas Peirce, born in Boston, August 16, 1860, died in Brookline, December 10.

Mrs. Elizabeth Stickney Cheney, born in Dorchester, August 23, 1839, died in Boston, December 11.

Henry Havelock Cummings, born in Worcester, February 28, 1858, died in Newton Highlands, December 25.

Of these, one was an Honorary member, twenty-two were Life members and twenty-one Annual members.

James Eley, one of our few Honorary Members, died February 23 at his home in Sleaford Road, Boston, England. He had been Mayor of Boston in 1910, 1911 and 1916; he was in office at the time of the restoration of the old Guild Hall for which members of this Society contributed the amount remaining to be raised.

Henry H. Edes, who died in October, was a prominent member of many historical societies, a well known antiquarian scholar, and the founder of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts.

Francis H. Manning, who died October 31, had been a Director of our Society since 1904 and Vice President since 1907. He was an almost daily visitor at the Old State House, and took great pleasure in showing attention to strangers, especially those from a distance or in the service of the Army and Navy. He will be greatly missed by us all. An appreciative resolution in his memory was adopted by the Directors and by the Society, and many of the officers and members attended the funeral service at Mount Auburn.

The Bay State Historical League has held four meetings during the year at each of which the Society was represented by delegates and other members:—on January 14 with the Dorchester Historical Society, at the First Parish Meeting House; on April 29 at Taunton with the Old Colony Historical Society; June 24 (the annual meeting) with the Dedham Historical Society, and September 30 with the Worcester Historical Society.

On Monday, January 16, at the request of Mayor Peters, the "Wilson Hour" meeting in aid of the Woodrow Wilson Fund was held in the Council Chamber, and on Wednesday, September 27, the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of

Samuel Adams was celebrated by a short speech from the historic balcony and an address in the Council Chamber by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. The Declaration of Independence was read on July 4 from the balcony by Orazio Ercole Vaccaro, a pupil of the Public Latin School appointed by Mayor Curley, and for half an hour at noon of Saturday, December 23, Messrs. A. H. Fisher, A. J. Smith, J. N. Proctor and F. J. Howard, trumpeters from the 211th Machine Gun Battalion, 1st Corps of Cadets, played Christmas music, as for the past fourteen years; a large gathering of people in State Street showing their appreciation and interest.

Tuesday evening, March 14, your President attended a review by Governor Cox of the 211th Machine Gun Battalion at the Cadet Armory, and the presentation of colors and medals by Gen. Francis H. Appleton in behalf of the Veteran Association of the 1st Corps of Cadets.

Monday evening, April 3, your President, as a member of the Honorary Committee, and other members, represented the Society at the exercises in commemoration of the one-hundredth anniversary of the birth of Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale, held at Symphony Hall. Governor Cox presided and addresses were made by Senator Lodge and Dean Brown of Yale University.

On October 17, the President and several members of the Society attended the presentation to the Commonwealth of the sword carried at Concord Fight by Major John Buttrick: the ceremony was held in the room of the Governor and Council at the State House, Rev. Dr. Horton making the presentation address in behalf of the descendants of Major Buttrick, and Governor Cox accepting the sword.

On November 9th, the fiftieth anniversary of the Great Fire in Boston was celebrated by the City by a parade of the Fire Department in which 35 cities and towns which had given help in 1872 took part.

On Sunday, December 31, the two hundredth anniversary of Christ Church was celebrated by a special service and historical address by Bishop Lawrence. The Clerk and Mr. Silsby represented this Society.

The activities of the various departments during the year will be shown in the reports of the Committees to be presented later in the meeting.

For the Directors,

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
President.

Old State House, Boston, January 16, 1923.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ROOMS

The Committee on the Rooms herewith reports for the year 1922:

The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the Great Boston Fire in 1872 has brought to the Collections several interesting relics of that event. Two striking examples are: a nest of four china tea cups, originally there were six, firmly fused together; the other a misshapen glass cologne bottle; both show evidence of the excessive heat of the fire. They were given respectively by Harry S. Moy and Grenville H. Norcross. Several fire trumpets and a collection of photographs have also been added to the Collections. The celebration of this anniversary brings to mind the picturesque manner in which the City of Boston officially participated in the event. The Society at its November meeting also commemorated the occasion.

Several school medals have been added to the Society's Collection and three interesting pictures have been placed in the Military Alcove on the third floor. These are illustrative of the career of Robert Keayne of Windsor, Eng., and Boston, Mass. He was the first commander of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts.

So much progress has been made in the rearrangement of the Collections in Winthrop and Blackstone Halls in the third story that it is hoped that they may be seen by the public early in the coming year. Classified more than before, the various exhibits will not be excelled in interest elsewhere in the Old State House.

During the present year the sum of $780.53 has been expended by the Committee for the care of the Rooms and the Society has received $245.64 from the sale of prints and souvenirs and Town House Books.

For the Committee,

Francis H. Manning,* Joseph G. Minot,
Charles H. Taylor, Henry W. Cunningham,
Courtenay Guild, The President and the Clerk, *ex-officiis.*

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1922.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S COLLECTIONS, 1922

Donors	Descriptions
Abbott, Samuel (Loans)	Two silver trumpets; one inscribed "City of Boston, awarded for superior discipline to Hydrant Company No. 2 at the firemen's muster on Boston Common, September 17, 1856"; the other inscribed "Presented to Union Hose Company No. 2 by the City of Boston, September 29, 1857": a brass fire trumpet inscribed, "Presented to Howard Engine Co. No. 7 by Pentland and Company's Circus. D. S. Furber, winner of the firemen's half-mile foot race at the Howard Athenaeum, January 10, 1855."
(Gifts)	A miscellaneous collection of fire relics.
Hemenway, Augustus	A framed photograph of an oil portrait, by Ignaz M. Gaugengigl, of Mrs. Mary Hemenway.
Jones, Miss Bessie C., a granddaughter of Jones, one time landlord of the Exchange Coffee House.	A blue china plate used in the Exchange Coffee House.
Moy, Harry S. (A Loan)	A nest of four china teacups fused together by the heat of the Great Boston Fire.

* Died October 31.

Norcross, Grenville H.	A glass perfume bottle misshapen by the heat of the Great Boston Fire.
Revere, William B.	Two ancient fire trumpets, one silver and one brass; a fire bucket; a wooden number plate of an ancient engine No. 7 of the Boston Fire Department.
Riordan, Mrs. Mabel F.	A copy of the original sketch of the house in Windsor, Eng., which was the home of Captain Robert Keayne, founder of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts; a photograph of the building now standing on the same site; a photograph of the bronze tablet placed on the present building in 1912 by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts. *Note:* The second and third of the pictures are framed in oak from timber of the home of Captain Keayne.
Robbins, John W.	A collection of blue prints and photographs of Boston lanes and alleys, made in 1860 by the donor.
Shillaber, William G.	A group photograph of Boston physicians, made about 1860.
Taylor, Charles H.	Two Boston school medals awarded to William L. Sargent and Harriet Sargent, 1825; a photographic view of the ruins of the Great Boston Fire; a miscellaneous collection of letters, documents, business cards, etc.
Wakefield, James H.	A Boston school medal awarded to James Wakefield, 1826; an oval school medal awarded for excellence in geography; a crescent school medal awarded for merit to Elizabeth Wakefield.
Wheeler, Frederick L.	A twenty dollar gold coin, one of the first two hundred thousand bearing the numeral MCMVII, the subsequent mintage was inscribed 1907.
Whitcher, Frank W.	Clippings from Boston newspapers and trade periodicals describing the planting of a tree by Mayor Curley on Boston Common on October 10, 1922, in honor of Albert J. Ehlers, President of the National Leather and Shoefinders Association.
Woodside, Charles L.	An atlas showing estates in Boston in 1895; it was used by the American Insurance Co. when its office was in the Old State House.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY

The Committee on the Library reports as follows for the past year, during which time there have been added fifty-eight volumes and forty-six pamphlets:

The following books have been purchased from the income of the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund: Volume 1 of the Life of William Shirley, Governor of Massachusetts, 1741–1756; by George A. Wood: Memoirs of a Hostess; a Chronicle of Eminent Friendships; from diaries of Mrs. James T. Fields; by M. A. DeWolf Howe: Glimpses of Authors; by Caroline Ticknor: Sailing Ships of New England, 1607–1907; by John Robinson and George Francis Dow and the Index of Ancestors and Honor Roll of the Society of Colonial Wars.

The following books were given to the Society by their authors: The Beginnings of the American Revolution, by Miss Ellen Chase; three volumes: Old Park Street and its Vicinity, by Robert M. Lawrence, M.D., and the Reminiscences of Mrs. Louisa Crowninshield Bacon. William E. Nickerson, a member, has given us the History of the Pilgrims and Puritans; their Ancestry and Descendants, by Joseph Dillaway Sawyer; three volumes: we have also received the biography, entitled Moses Greeley Parker, M.D.; it was compiled by Frederick W. Coburn, art critic of the Boston *Herald* and was given to the Society by Mrs. Mary G. Morrison of Lowell, a sister of Doctor Parker.

There have been added during the year: the serial publications of the Massachusetts Historical Society, the New England Historic Genealogical Society, the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities, the Medford Historical Society and the Essex Institute.

An interesting addition to the Library is a set of twenty-five volumes, comprising the Reports of the Boston Protective Department from 1880 to 1905. These are given by Capt. Samuel Abbott, who was for many years Superintendent of that organization. Captain Abbott was most active in placing in the Old State House the Collections of the Boston Veteran Firemen's Association when it disbanded in 1914.

The Committee has expended during the year the sum of $179.25 for clerical work, binding and the maintenance of the Library. It also reports that the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund amounted to $656.40 at the close of the year.

For the Committee,

FITZ-HENRY SMITH, JR., PERCIVAL MERRITT,
WALTER K. WATKINS, HENRY W. LAMB,
WILLIAM G. SHILLABER, THE CLERK.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1922.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S LIBRARY, 1922

DONORS

	Volumes	Pamphlets
Abbott, Samuel	25	2
Bacon, Mrs. Louisa Crowninshield	1	
Bangs, Charles H.		1
Boston, City of		1
Boston Daily Evening Transcript		1
Boston Public Library		16
Brookline Historical Society		1
Chase, Miss Ellen	3	
Clarke, William B.	1	
Essex Institute		5
Farwell, John W.	1	
Franklin Printing Company	1	
General Society; of the War of 1812		1
Humane Society of Massachusetts		1
Lawrence, Robert M.	1	
Leonard, Amos M.		1
Lynn Historical Society		1
Massachusetts Historical Society	2	
Medford Historical Society		4
Milton Historical Society		2
Morrison, Mrs. Mary Greeley	1	
New England Historic Genealogical Society		5
Nickerson, William E.	3	
Norcross, Grenville H.	8	1
Providence Public Library		1

Purchased	6	
Quincy Historical Society		1
Roxbury Historical Society		1
Society of Colonial Wars in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1	
Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities		4
Taylor, Charles H.	4	
Walton, Perry		1
Total	58	46

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

The Committee on Publications reports as follows for the year 1922:

The illustration selected for a frontispiece of this Annual Proceedings for 1923 is a copy of a photographic view of the ruins of the Great Boston Fire which occurred on November 9, 1872. The interest aroused last month by the observance of the semi-centennial of the fire makes this picture a timely one and it is hoped that it will be received with interest by the members of the Society. The anniversary also brought many photographs to the Collections and these with the ones already in our possession are to form a special exhibit.

The illustration which precedes the article by Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D., entitled "School Street in 1830" is reproduced from an engraving by J. Kidder in an old time Boston magazine *The Polyanthos* of 1813.

The County Court House shown in the engraving, was built of granite in 1810 and cost almost one hundred thousand dollars. The main building was octagonal in form with wings at each side. The entire building was one hundred and forty feet long and fifty-five feet wide, the wings measuring twenty-five by forty feet. It was occupied by the offices of Suffolk County.

The building was early called Johnson Hall in honor of Isaac Johnson, one of Boston's earliest settlers, whose home was in this immediate vicinity. It is said that in accordance with a desire expressed on his death bed, he was buried in what is now known as King's Chapel Burying Ground, and the people of the town showed their attachment for him by

requesting that at their deaths their bodies might be buried near his.

The name Johnson Hall does not seem to have been generally adopted for we find it more frequently spoken of as the Court House. The land on which the present City Hall stands was sold to the town of Boston in 1645.

The two story building at the left was Barrister's Hall which was built by John Lowell; it stood on the present site of the Franklin statue which is in front of City Hall.

The one story building in the rear at the left was, in the days of the volunteer fire department, the house of Tiger Engine No. 7. This was the crack volunteer company of Boston and numbered among its members some of the best known citizens of the town and city.

For the Committee,

JOHN W. FARWELL, FITZ-HENRY SMITH, JR.,
ALBERT MATTHEWS, JAMES M. HUNNEWELL,
THE CLERK.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1922.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

The Committee on Memorials herewith reports for the year 1922:

George Washington, then President of the United States of America, visited Boston in the fall of 1789 when he was making the first of what we now call Presidential Tours. He "tarried" at this time at Mrs. Ingersoll's boarding house at the corner of Court and Tremont Streets.

To commemorate this event a marble tablet was placed on the Court Street side of the building when it was altered for business purposes. The tablet is inscribed

"Occupied by
Washington
October 1789"

This building was taken down later and the Hemenway Building was erected on the site.

The tablet is now in the possession of the Society and permission has been granted to place it on the Tremont Street front of the Hemenway Building. It is expected that the tablet will be placed during the coming spring.

For the Committee,

COURTENAY GUILD, CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
WILLIAM Q. WALES, THE CLERK.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1922.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

The Committee on Finance reports as follows for the past year:

At the close of the year 1921 the Permanent Fund of the Society amounted to $70,082.37.

During the year 1922 the fund has been increased by the life membership fees of thirty-eight new members, amounting to $1,120, the receipt of $1,000 as the balance of a legacy under the will of Mrs. Caroline F. Sanborn, and by an increase of $58.56 in the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund.

Bonds of the value of $15,000.78 have been called or sold, and the Committee has purchased bonds amounting to $16,997.73.

At the close of the year the Permanent Fund amounted to $74,887.46. Of this amount $73,800 is invested in bonds valued at par, the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund, deposited in the Franklin Savings Bank, amounts to $656.40 and there is deposited in the New England Trust Co. an uninvested balance of $431.06.

For the Committee,

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS, COURTENAY GUILD.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1922.

Charles F. Read, *Treasurer*, in account with the Bostonian Society

Current Account

Dr.

1922		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 30 40
Dec. 31	548 Assessments	2,740 00
	Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,500 00
	Marine Museum	544 33
	Income from Permanent Fund	3,300 00
	Interest from the New England Trust Co.	19 78
	Sales of Publications and Souvenirs	245 64
	Refund on Expenses	38 34
	Gifts for Current Expenses	400 00
	From Frank G. Webster, Grenville H. Norcross, John W. Farwell and Courtenay Guild	46 25
		$8,864 74

Cr.

1922		
Dec. 31	Salaries	$4,855 00
	Committee on Rooms; electric lighting and miscellaneous	780 53
	Committee on Publications; Annual Proceedings, 1922, and miscellaneous	685 31
	Committee on Library; clerical work, binding and miscellaneous	193 25
	Postage	367 16
	Insurance	135 39
	Printing	520 25
	Renovating Chairs	172 00
	Petty Cash Expenditures	313 45
	Miscellaneous Expenditures	808 10
	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	34 30
		$8,864 74

December 31, 1922.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

Permanent Fund

Dr.

1922		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 184 53
Dec. 31	38 Life Membership Fees	1,120 00
	Income of Investments	3,376 39
	Investments Paid and Sold	15,047 87
	Balance of Legacy under the Will of Mrs. Caroline F. Sanborn	1,000 00
		$20,728 79

Cr.

1922		
Dec. 31	Investments Made	$16,871 75
	Accrued Interest on Same	125 98
	Transfer of Income to Current Account	3,300 00
	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	431 06
		$20,728 79

December 31, 1922.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

James Lyman Whitney Library Fund

Dr.

1922		
Jan. 1	Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank	$ 597 84
Dec. 31	New England Trust Co.; trustee	76 30
	Interest	27 40
		$ 701 60

Cr.

1922		
Dec. 31	Purchases of books	$ 45 20
	Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank	656 40
		$ 701 60

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

December 31, 1922.

The Permanent Fund of the Society is invested in the following bonds:

Massachusetts 3½ %	$8,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4 %	3,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4½ %	2,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 6 %	1,500 00
American Tel. and Tel. Co. 4 %	10,000 00
N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R. 4 %	2,000 00
United Electric Securities 5 %	5,000 00
Rotch Mills 6 %	1,800 00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co. 5 %	2,000 00
Dominion of Canada 5 %	10,000 00
Detroit Edison Co. 7 %	2,000 00
Pennsylvania R. R. 7 %	2,000 00
New York Telephone Co. 6 %	2,000 00
Western Tel. and Tel. Co. 5 %	2,000 00
Massachusetts Gas Co. 4½ %	3,000 00
Kansas City Terminal 4 %	5,000 00
Missouri Pacific R. R. 4 %	5,000 00
Chicago Junc. and U. S. Y. 5 %	3,000 00
First U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	500 00
Second U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	500 00
Third U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	3,000 00
Fourth U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	500 00
	$73,800 00

The undersigned, of the Committee on Finance of the Bostonian Society, having examined the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1922 and the vouchers therewith presented, hereby certify to the correctness of the same.

They have also examined the securities of the Society and find them correct, according to the Treasurer's statement.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
COURTENAY GUILD,
Committee on Finance.

January 15, 1923.

PERMANENT FUND

The Society has a Permanent Fund, made up from Life Membership Fees, gifts and bequests, well invested, which it is earnestly desired may be increased. The Permanent Fund of the Society includes the following special gifts:

Boston Memorial Association Fund	$1,179 51
Robert C. Billings Memorial	3,000 00
Edward I. Browne Bequest	1,000 00
George O. Carpenter Memorial	1,000 00
Benjamin H. Dewing Bequest	100 00
John W. Farwell Gift	500 00
Curtis Guild Memorial	1,000 00
James F. Hunnewell Memorial	1,000 00
Lucy A. Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Otis Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Catherine P. Perkins Bequest	4,000 00
Caroline F. Sanborn Bequest	2,000 00
Samuel E. Sawyer Bequest	4,610 87
Joseph H. Stickney Bequest	1,000 00
Joseph C. Storey Bequest	2,000 00
William B. Trask Bequest	500 00
James L. Whitney Library Fund	553 99
Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., Bequest	3,000 00

FORM OF BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to the BOSTONIAN SOCIETY, in the City of Boston, the sum of.....dollars for the general use and purpose of the said Society.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee which was appointed to nominate Officers of the Bostonian Society for the ensuing year begs to report that it has attended to its duty and proposes the following candidates:

For Directors

Charles H. Taylor, Joseph Grafton Minot,
John W. Farwell, Henry W. Cunningham,
Grenville H. Norcross, Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,
Courtenay Guild, Frederick W. Parker,
William Q. Wales.

For Clerk and Treasurer

Charles F. Read.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Julius H. Tuttle, *Chairman*,
George G. Wolkins,
James M. Hunnewell,
Robert M. Lawrence,
William B. Revere.
Nominating Committee.

January 4, 1923.

The report of the Committee was accepted, and the Society then proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year. The result reported by the tellers showed the unanimous choice of those named on the ballot.

It was ordered that the Directors' Report and the Reports of the Treasurer and the several committees, with the Membership Rolls be printed in the Annual Proceedings.

On motion, the Society then adjourned.

Charles F. Read, *Clerk.*

BOSTON IN THE LAST DAYS OF THE TOWN

A Paper read before the Bostonian Society, December 19, 1922

By Walter Kendall Watkins

In 1817 was published the first Topographical Description of Boston. The compiler, Charles Shaw, in his Preface, states:

"While the historians of New England have little cause to complain of the want of authentic materials, the mere topographer will not find them so abundant as might be expected. Our old writers are minute even to tediousness in recording the foundation of churches, the names of ruling elders and remarkable providences, and so forth; but they have given us little or no topographical information. They have failed to notice the original appearances of the places where they settled and their progressive advancement. One of them has furnished what he quaintly calls an Ecclesiastical Map of this country, but is of no service to one fixing boundaries of places in ascertaining the courses of streams or in determining the line which once separated the water from the dry land. In a lecture preached in 1698 entitled the 'Bostonian Ebenezer,' the learned preacher says: 'It would be no unprofitable thing for you to pass over the several streets and call to mind who lived here so many years ago? Why! In that place lived such a one, &c. Who does not regret that he has not given us the result of these profitable inquiries?'"

Modern methods of research have supplied many particulars and material unknown to Mr. Shaw has been brought to light. We can therefore have a better idea of the topography of the town, in its earlier days, than it was possible for Mr. Shaw to construct in his History.

The first change in the topography of Boston was in 1646, when a lease was given for 80 years of the marshy shores about the Town Dock.

In 1673 the Barricado was built across the harbor and the right was given to subscribers to build out on the water front to the circular line, virtually the sea end of the wharves of a century ago. The line of the Barricado is now Atlantic Avenue.

In 1709 Boston Pier, or Long Wharf, was extended into the harbor, and Boston Neck preserved from the waves of the harbor and Back Bay. In 1720 the south side of the Town Dock was filled in to furnish a site for a market place and the

future Faneuil Hall. It was not until nearly a century later, in 1811, that Beacon Hill, 138 feet above sea level, was removed to fill in the Mill Pond and finish the work of filling the marsh, at the bottom of the Common, commenced in 1800, when Charles Street was laid out through Fox Hill, which was first utilized for the project.

Previous to 1800 the waters of the Charles River, north of Blackstone's Point, at the foot of Beacon Street, washed the base of a cliff, at the top of which was a cartway, now West Cedar Street. West of Charles Street, at the corner of Beacon, a century ago, was a brick block owned by the Sullivan family. Beyond Chestnut Street stood a brick dwelling, the Baptist Church, still standing, built in 1807, and a few brick houses near West Boston Bridge. On the east side, toward Beacon Hill, about a dozen brick dwellings had been built on the land filled in by the removal of the West Hill, which was on the site of Louisburg Square, some 70 feet higher. This whole section between Pinckney and Beacon Streets, was the improvement of the Mt. Vernon proprietors, Jonathan Mason, John Joy, Harrison Gray Otis, and William Sullivan, the agent of Mrs. James Swan.

It was their purchase, in the last decade of the eighteenth century, of the Copley estate, various pastures and rope walks, and included the William Blaxton estate. On Beacon Street, between Charles Street and the Hancock estate at Joy Street, had been erected a score of brick dwellings, which included the Harrison Gray Otis, now the Austin-Wadsworth house, the birthplace of Wendell Phillips, corner of Walnut, and others still standing, and the granite dwelling of David Sears, now the Somerset Club.

On Chestnut Street were the three houses built by Mrs. Swan for her daughters, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Sullivan and Mrs. Sargent. Below, opposite Spruce Street, were houses built by John Joy and Jonathan Mason on their lots, as Mt. Vernon proprietors.

Opposite Walnut Street, on Mt. Vernon, was the residence of Mr. Mason, between 1805 and 1835, when it was torn down; below was the second residence of Mr. Otis. No. 1 Mt. Vernon

was the house now No. 10 Joy, occupied later by its owners, Dr. John Brown and Dr. Henry K. Oliver.

On the north slope of Mt. Vernon were pastures and rope walks during the eighteenth century, the latter, owned by Austin and Cade, running on the crest of the hill between Revere and Pinckney Streets, at right angles with Grove and Anderson Streets. In the vicinity dwelt many of the workmen, many of them people of color. Other rope walks extended down the hill between Hancock and Irving Streets, and the north slope to Cambridge Street, where potato fields and pastures were located before 1800, had by 1820 been laid out for the wooden dwellings of artisans and laborers. A century ago these in turn began to be encroached upon by more substantial brick buildings of a better class.

Cambridge Street, by the building of the West Boston Bridge, took on more of a business look by the erection of the Parkman Market about 1810, and when Blossom Street was extended in 1817 to Allen Street, on the erection of the Massachusetts General Hospital, "Prince's Marsh Pasture" was covered by the brick dwellings, which are now disappearing and being replaced by tall tenements.

One would hardly expect to find the Courthouse in 1822 on Leverett, near Charles Street, but here was the Municipal Courthouse, County Jail and House of Correction, three handsome stone buildings.

They were built on land reclaimed from the Charles River, by dredging and filling in, and Wall Street was the sea wall by the West Mills, which ran back to the tide mills of the seventeenth century owned by the Leveretts.

East of these was the Mill Pond recently filled, adding 43 acres. Where Canal Street was formed in 1807 by dredgings of the pond, ran the Old Middlesex Canal, connecting with the Mill Creek, the harbor and river. This territory has been developed mainly for business. South Margin Street marked the south border of the Mill Pond, and south of that to Green Street and Bowdoin Square, a century ago, was occupied by wooden dwellings. In 1810 Samuel Parkman built for his daughters, Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Tuckerman, and later Mrs.

Shaw, the stone residences in Bowdoin Square between Cambridge and Green Streets, one of the earliest of the Chelmsford granite buildings built in the town. In the square, a century ago, were the residences of the Bulfinch, Gore and Armstrong families, and the Parkman house, corner of Chardon, later the United States Courthouse.

On the south side of the square had been built previously the brick mansion of Kirk Boott, later altered as the Revere House. These were followed in this vicinity by brick houses on Cambridge, Bulfinch and Bowdoin Streets. This resulted from the development of the Bulfinch pasture, which ran back of the Revere House, and the Bowdoin estate on Beacon Street.

The Bowdoin heirs opened a street from Beacon Street, near the governor's house, in 1800, to run down the hill to Derne Street. Brick residences began to be erected on this street and its continuation, known as Middlecott Street. On Derne Street was the first high school in 1821. The next street east was Somerset—it was laid out through land of Jerathmeel Bowers, who lived at Somerset, Mass. It was laid out in 1804 through the pastures between Beacon and Pemberton Hills, sometimes called Valley Acre. A passage from Somerset to Bowdoin was called Somerset Place in 1807, Allston Street in 1843; Somerset Court in 1809 became Ashburton Place on its continuation in 1843. The oldest houses dated about a century ago.

Pemberton Hill was undisturbed a century ago and was crowned by the terraced gardens of the Gardiner Greene estate, and on its slopes on Tremont Street and Row were the eighteenth century residences, including two-story wooden houses of Sir Harry Vane, the oldest in the town, which were to disappear in 1835, in the unsuccessful improvement financially of Patrick Tracy Jackson, and be replaced by the brick buildings on Tremont Street and Row and Pemberton Square.

In Scollay Square were standing the buildings which gave the square its name, and extended further westward than in the last days before demolition. Cornhill, laid out in 1817 as Cheapside, in 1822 was called Market Street and changed to Cornhill in 1829.

The Cobb Building, on the west corner, is unchanged, as a 497 years' lease specifies this, also that its exterior should have three coats of paint every ten years. Within that period the paint has been removed by sand blasting, and it is a question whether the lease could not be declared as forfeited and a ten-story building erected, a result desired by lessees and owners. David Sears never imagined it would be occupied in 1922 by a Chinese-American Restaurant.

Tremont Street was little changed, a century ago, as far south as School Street. In 1807 a short passage, just south of Bromfield Street, ran from Tremont Street, next to the house of Mr. Bumstead, a coach maker, then north into Bromfield Street, next to the Methodist Church. It was called Bumstead Place, and many will recall it as a built-over passage to Music Hall fifty years ago.

In 1820 St. Paul's Church was erected and the block of brick houses between the church and Winter Street was called St. Paul's Row. Turnagain Alley is now Temple Place. In 1822 the Washington Gardens was a noted pleasure resort. It extended from the church to West Street. The Amphitheatre was called The City Theatre. The land was owned by Major James Swan, whose widow resided later on Chestnut Street. The strip of town land between the Common and Mason Street, running south from West Street, was sold previous to 1800 and some of the lots bought by Mrs. Swan. On this land was erected, at different times, the brick residences known as Colonnade Row and Cape Cod Row.

Tremont Street, during the days of the town, was called Common Street, and extended only to the present Common Street and then curved east to Washington Street. Washington Street was then, as now, the principal street for retail trade. Its buildings, as far as School Street, joined each other and were mainly of brick; an occasional wooden house remained, the last survivor being the quarters of the Chelsea Dye House, at the corner of Harvard Place. South of School Street the passages became more frequent, showing the entrances to barns and workshops in the rear, in the days when the locality was at the South End and on the outskirts of the town.

Its buildings were shops, the shopkeeper, in the majority of the cases, living above as is the English custom today. Most of the shop fronts projected on each side of an entrance, with a separate entrance to the dwelling. The shop window allowed a row of panes below to light the basement, and the front was usually of five rows, with five panes in a row. Many of the windows projected with a curved front. Many of these fronts are shown in photographs previous to the Civil War. Many of the houses began to have iron balconies on the second story a century ago. Next to Washington Street, on streets leading from it, were houses with shops, but they were mainly residences. On Bedford and West Streets were residences up to the time of the Great Fire.

Franklin Place, later Franklin Street, was developed in the last years of the eighteenth century by the erection of the Federal Street Theatre and Tontine Crescent on what had been previously a marshy pasture, and thus became the fine residential section.

In 1793 a fire destroyed the rope walks on Fort Hill and afterwards several fine mansions were erected on High, Pearl and Congress Streets. In the next century, 1805–8, began the development of Broad and India Streets, for business, by Otis and Cotting, and the latter commenced the improvement of the top and sides of Fort Hill which resulted in Washington Place and Square as a residential section. At the same time the large estates at the foot of High and Summer Streets were cut up into lots, and the latter street became the finest residential street of the town a century ago. Its large trees and the New South Church at the junction with Bedford Street furnished a view frequently pictured by artist and photographer.

State Street was in 1822, as today, the financial centre of the town, and on both sides of the street were standing buildings designed by Charles Bulfinch. Of these the most notable was the State, formerly the United States Bank, which stood on the site of the Exchange Building.

The Old State House stood at the head of State Street, as it had for a century, but the west and east ends show frequent

changes. A view in 1818 of the east end shows a balcony, as today, with a large square window below. In a view of 1825 pillars are shown each side of this window. An 1828 view shows the town pump at the lower end.

On the site of the new National Union Bank was the Joy Building, which took the place of the Old Brick First Church in 1809. The Old Corner Bookstore has reached its 210th anniversary. Johnson Hall stood on the site of the City Hall. It was erected in 1810 of Chelmsford granite, an octagon with two wings. It was first used for the Supreme and Superior Courts, the Probate and Deeds, and faced on an open space on School Street, called Court Square.

The old Courthouse of pre-revolutionary days was on Court Street. It was a three-story brick building with an octagon cupola. A century ago it was used for the United States Marshal, the District and Circuit Courts. It stood on the site of an old stone jail. Between these two courthouses was the Gaol, an old stone building, 90 by 23, where formerly stood a wooden building called the Debtor's Gaol.

In 1805 the vicinity of the Town Dock was of about the same appearance as during the last half of the previous century. The dock on the north side of Faneuil Hall, where oyster vessels and packets had unloaded their cargoes, had been filled in and on the space had been erected a wooden shed for a vegetable market. The seventeenth-century brick triangular warehouse stood until torn down, for the improvement in 1825, by Mayor Quincy. Then was erected the large market and the brick blocks on North and South Market Streets.

At the corner of North Street was the Old Feather Warehouse, which disappeared in the sixties. The Sun Tavern, in Faneuil Hall Square, survived into this century. The brick flatiron-shaped block in Dock Square, across from Faneuil Hall, is a relic of the eighteenth century. The building on the east corner of Exchange Street and Adams Square dates from about 1700.

On Union Street is an eighteenth-century building, long an oyster house, formerly the shop of Hopestill Capen, whose clerk was Count Rumford, when a young man. Just around

the corner is the building formerly the Marshall House, owned and occupied in the eighteenth century by Ebenezer Hancock, a mason, the cousin of Governor John Hancock. Opposite, imbedded in the foundation, is the "Boston Stone," an advertisement of the eighteenth century, originally used for grinding paints.

At the southeast corner of Union and Hanover stood the house of Benjamin Franklin's father, with its sign of the Blue Ball. It was a wooden structure removed after 1800; on the brick building, erected in its place, a shoe store still displayed the blue ball, with a gilt coating. This building was removed just after the Civil War, when Hanover Street was widened, and the Blue Ball is now exhibited in the Old State House.

The houses of the North End were mainly of wood a century ago. The most notable house in that vicinity was the Phips Mansion, at the corner of Salem and Charter Streets, which is depicted as Mr. Ruck's house on the Burgess View of the town two centuries ago. It was two stories of brick, to which an upright third story was added early in the last century. It was occupied a century ago by the Asylum for Indigent Boys, now located at Thompson's Island as the Farm School.

Across on Charter Street, still stand two wooden dwellings of the seventeenth century: the Vernon house, and in the rear the house in Vernon Place, with its overhanging second story and its wainscoted room. Other houses of historic interest, built of brick, have not survived the march of improvement, but disappeared in the first half of the last century. The Hutchinson and Frankland houses in North Square and the Mather house in Hanover Street are the best known examples.

I have referred to some of the principal buildings. Faneuil Hall, enlarged in 1805 under the supervision of Bulfinch, was the seat of the town government.

Under the city it furnished the offices of the overseers of the poor and the assessors and the directors of the House of Industry. In the second story, at the west end of the Old State House, was to be found the city and county treasurer. The quarters of the new city government were in the stone Courthouse in School Street. The mayor's and aldermen's rooms

were in the third story of the west wing. The common council were in the centre room on the same floor. The city clerk and auditor also had offices in the building. The clerk of the common council was housed in a small brick building in front of the Courthouse on School Street. He issued the bans or intentions of marriage there, every Thursday, immediately as the bell ceased tolling for the stated lecture of the Boston Ministerial Association. In the last years of the eighteenth century Charles Bulfinch was the superintendent of police of the town, and he had one assistant. In 1823 the office of city marshal was created, and his duties were to pass through every street and lane at least once a week.

I have referred to the Massachusetts General Hospital, completed in 1821. On Mason Street was the Medical College, still standing, occupied by the fire department. A description of the interior, in 1816, describes its heating apparatus, invented by Jacob Perkins, of bank note fame. This pioneer furnace, which burnt Rhode Island coal, was an improvement on the open grates, which had burnt the Cape Breton and English coals, during the previous half century. The poorer class were still dependent on the wood market, which in the eighteenth century was beneath the Paddock Elms, by the Granary Burial Ground.

In the next century, Bowdoin Square, the north side of Milk Street and along Congress Street were utilized, until the filling of the Mill Pond furnished sites on Endicott and Merrimac Streets. Besides the open-air markets, for the sale of meats and vegetables, the town was well provided with market houses. Beneath Faneuil Hall and the shed on the north side were used for the sale of fish and later of vegetables. Parkman's Market, a large brick building at the corner of Cambridge and Grove, was erected in 1810.

In the same year was erected the Boylston Market from plans by Bulfinch. Its clock tower was placed on a brewery near Sullivan Square, when the building was torn down, and has again recently been removed to surmount a church tower in Arlington. Boylston Hall, in the third story, was the scene of large social functions a century ago. It had also a large

organ and was rented to the Handel and Haydn Society. It was lighted by gas in 1815 for the first time. Gas was used to light the Washington Gardens in 1817 and its use gradually increased from that time.

In 1819 David Sears erected a building next to the City Hotel in Brattle Street, which ran through to Elm Street. He offered it as a market house, but as there were conditions attached to the gift, the people refused it. In the upper rooms a museum was located for a short time. It afterward became the furniture warerooms of Blake and Alden, and was torn down in 1872, when Washington Street was extended. Another hall, still in use a century ago, was Concert Hall, noted for its interior finish.

A building, erected early in the last century by Jonathan Harris, at the corner of Water and Congress Streets, was as much the cause of his financial ruin as his residence, Harris' Folly, on High Street. It was of four stories and of brick. It was called Merchants' Hall and was the successor of the Exchange Coffee House, Congress Street. It contained the post office, a large auction room, reading room and insurance office. An association was formed to take over this property, and named "A Republican Institution in the Town of Boston." The scheme did not materialize, but that society has continued to the present time.

The churches still standing, erected previous to a century ago, are few in number—the oldest is Christ Church, built in 1723. The Old South, King's Chapel, West Church, Park Street, Charles Street and St. Stephen's on Hanover Street are the best known of the survivors.

The comfort of visitors to the town was always well supplied by the many taverns and hotels. A century ago they were numerous. The second Exchange Coffee House in Congress Square, a rare picture of which is shown in a recent brochure issued by the State Street Trust, was one of the principal houses. The Commercial Coffee House in Milk Street, Earl's Coffee House and the Merchants' Hotel in Hanover Street, Eastern State House in Ann, now North Street, Washington Coffee House, 158 Washington and the Marlboro Hotel and

Indian Queen on Bromfield Street were the principal stage houses. The Lamb and Green Dragon were taverns dating back to the seventeenth century.

A score of smaller taverns were scattered about the town, among them the Province House, which was lately demolished. Julien's and other similar eating houses flourished, as restaurants, in the last days of the town, a reminder of the emigration during the French Revolution.

The war of the Revolution, with the free and wandering life of the soldier, did much to break down the puritanical living of the inhabitants of the town. This was followed by the unsettled state of affairs which resulted in Shay's Rebellion. The French Revolution brought to this country the French emigrés of the last decade of the eighteenth century. This influence is seen in the establishment of the theatre in Boston, the greater social freedom of the time and the tolerance that allowed the establishment of the Roman Catholic Church.

This resulted in a more general observance of Christmas and New Year's by all the religious denominations, and on the latter day carriers of newspapers, lamp lighters and watchmen presented the citizens their poetic broadsides, expecting a substantial cash gift. Fast Day was observed by shops and warehouses remaining closed, and religious services in the churches. Thanksgiving was also observed in the churches and by family gatherings at home.

The youthful celebration of May Day was an old custom of colonial times. The Artillery Company's election was also an observance of colonial days, on the first Monday of June. It followed the general election on the last Wednesday in May, when the General Court convened and marched under escort of the cadets, to hear a sermon at the Old South. Bunker Hill and Independence Days were observed, as now, by reference to the historic past in this country, with parade and a dinner with orations.

In August occurred the annual Indian commemoration of a feast at Squantum. The general training occurred in October, with a grand military display and review of troops in the county of Suffolk. It was a day when much New England and

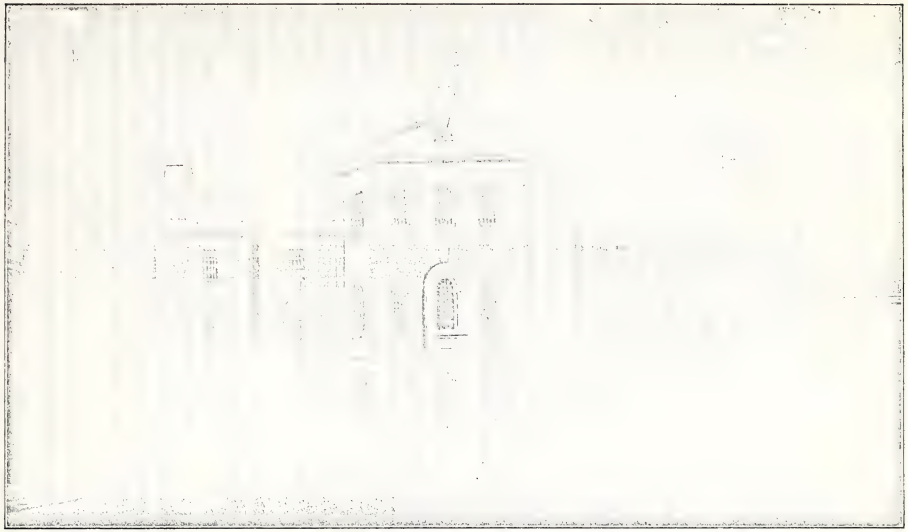
Jamaica rum was consumed, in the form of punch and flip, a beverage which it is to be hoped future generations will know of only by tradition.

Water was not scarce in those days, as in all parts of the town wells were to be found at nearly every house, as were rain-water cisterns, and the aqueduct water was conveyed to a reservoir on Fort Hill, through Washington and the side streets, from its source at Jamaica Pond.

I cannot let this opportunity pass without making a protest against the wholesale attempt to change the names of localities in Boston.

Such names cannot be lasting, future generations will take the practice as a precedent and in turn give the name for some more recent actor in the world's history.

If we retain the names handed us as those of persons and events in the early history of the town, with the sentiment they express, they will be more apt to be retained by our successors.



SCHOOL STREET IN 1830

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*By Rev. Edward Everett Hale, D.D.

Going down this street in 1830 one would find upon the right, at the corner of Tremont Street, the fine mansion of Dr. Jonathan Greely Stevenson, who was at that period one of Boston's famous physicians. He was a graduate of Harvard College in the class of 1816, and he died in Boston in 1835.

Next below this house was the stable belonging to the hotel just south of it: this stable was at the rear of the estate some fifty feet from the line of the street. There was a passage way between the stable and the Stevenson lot, which communicated with the rear of the Tremont Theatre, which then stood on the site of the present Tremont Temple on Tremont Street. Through this passage way the actors at the theatre reached the stage door, and it was very common for the Latin School boys to linger about the entrance, at the risk of being late at morning prayers, to see Finn, Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Smith and Mr. & Mrs. Geo. G. Barrett pass in for rehearsals.

Next to the stable was the brick public house called "The Boylston Hotel," which also stood back about twenty feet from the line of the street. It was a three story edifice and was kept by Henry L. Bascom, and was the resort of the minor actors connected with the theatre.

Next to this lot was situated the Boston Latin School with its granite front and cupola and bell. (You know all about this school.)

Adjoining the schoolhouse was Cook Court, which was about twenty feet wide (now called Chapman Street after Jonathan Chapman, Mayor of Boston), and ran back to the rear of the houses on what is now Bosworth Street.

There was an arched passage through one of these abutting houses to Montgomery Place as it was then called. This arched house was recently removed, and the old court now carries its width into Bosworth Street.

In those early days the court was used for residence, conspicuous among which was the huge double house, on the

* Dictated for Rev. Henry F. Jenks in 1895.

southeast side, shaded by noble elms and occupied on one side by Elijah Mears and on the other side by Jonathan Kilham, who were partners in the business of tailors. Wm. H. Smith, the actor, also lived on this court, and Francis Loring a bookseller of some note, and Daniel Morrill the messenger of the Court House.

Coming back to School Street, on the corner of Cook Court, there stood the mansion of Dr. Samuel Adams, who graduated at the Harvard Medical School in 1794. The side of this house abutted on Cook Court and its large garden extended southwesterly up to the Mears' estate. Dr. Adams kept in this garden two sheep, which were the constant targets, when in sight, for the coal and wood thrown at them by the boys from the upper windows of the Latin School.

Next to the Adams lot came the estate of Dr. Sam'l A. Bemis, a celebrated dentist who made a fortune which he expended in later years upon a stone edifice in the Crawford Notch of the White Mountains still extant today.

Below this estate, passing sundry small shops, was on the corner of Province Street a brick building occupied by Nath'l Bryant, a well known cabinet maker, and Charles Dupee, a carpenter of some prominence.

Below Province House Court was the Second Universalist Church, where Dr. Hosea Ballou preached so long. The site of the church was just below the present Five Cents Savings Bank and is now covered by the "School Street Block."

Next to the church was the famous saddle and harness store kept by Charles McBurney. In the adjoining building was the studio of Chester Harding, who painted the full length portrait of Dan'l Webster.

Passing by some small shops kept by William Daley for fruits and flowers, and William Perry & Co., stoves &c., we come to No. 18 kept by B. W. & C. C. Kingsbury as a boot and shoe store. Next to them was a boarding house kept by Mrs. Cecil C. Williams on the David S. Greenough estate.

Crossing to the opposite corner we find William D. Ticknor here established in the old book store. At the rear on School

Street was at No. 1 John Guardinier, an excellent bookbinder.

Next came the famous firm of Hills & Knott, ladies' shoes: this was the fashionable shoe store of Boston. Above there was the stable kept by W. J. Niles, which occupied a large area in the rear.

In the next building on the street was the studio of Alvan Fisher, a noted artist, and the office of Isaac H. Appleton, a dentist.

In a ten foot building in front of the old Court House were stores kept by Abijah & Joel Seaverns for provisions, and by W. & T. Atwood for oysters.

Next came the entrance to the Court House area. Just above, extending from School Street on the north side of the area, was a line of low buildings, occupied in front by the grocery store of Asa Richardson, where the Latin School boys used to wait for the opening of the schoolhouse: in rear was Barristers Hall occupied by lawyers' offices and next to that was the Engine House of "Tiger" No. 7, which was composed, in the days of the Volunteer Dept., of some of Boston's well known citizens—Thos. C. Amory, Elbridge Gerry Austin, John Brooks Parker and others.

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The Bostonian Society

for the purpose of promoting the study of the history of Boston, and the preservation of its antiquities, and have complied with the provisions of the Statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the President, Treasurer and Directors of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations and recorded in this office;

Now, Therefore, I, Henry B. Peirce, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, **do hereby certify** that said THOMAS C. AMORY, CURTIS GUILD, JOHN WARD DEAN, DORUS CLARKE, SAMUEL M. QUINCY, WILLIAM S. APPLETON, THOMAS MINNS, HENRY F. JENKS, JOHN T. HASSAM and DUDLEY R. CHILD, their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as and are hereby made an existing corporation under the name of

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with the powers, rights and privileges and subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions, which by law, appertain thereto.

Witness my official signature hereunto subscribed and the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

[Signed]

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ORGANIZED TO PROMOTE THE STUDY OF THE HISTORY OF BOSTON AND THE PRESERVATION OF ITS ANTIQUITIES

BY-LAWS

I

OBJECTS

It shall be the duty of members, so far as may be in their power, to carry out the objects of the Society, by collecting, by gift, loan or purchase, books, manuscripts, and pictures, and by such other suitable means as may from time to time seem expedient.

II

MEMBERS

The members of the Bostonian Society shall be such persons, either resident or non-resident in Boston, as shall be elected to membership. Election shall be made by ballot by the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting.

III

HONORARY MEMBERS

Honorary Members shall be nominated by the Directors, and shall be elected by ballot by two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may take part in the meetings of the Society, but shall not be entitled to vote.

IV

ADMISSION FEE AND ASSESSMENTS

Each member shall pay five dollars at the time of his or her admission, and five dollars each first day of January afterwards, into the treasury of the Society for its general purposes; provided, however, that no person joining the Society on or after the first day of October in any year shall be required to pay an additional assessment for the year commencing on the first day of January following.

If any member shall neglect to pay his or her admission fee or annual assessment, for three months after the same is due, he or she shall be liable to forfeit his or her membership at any time when the Directors shall so order.

The payment of the sum of thirty dollars in any one year by any member of the Society shall constitute him or her a life member of the Society; life members shall be free from assessments, and entitled to all the rights and

privileges of annual members. The money received for such life membership shall constitute a fund, of which not more than twenty per cent., together with the annual income, shall be spent in any one year.

V

CERTIFICATES

Certificates, signed by the President and the Clerk, shall be issued, on application, to all persons who become life members of the Society.

VI

MEETINGS

The annual meeting of the Society shall be held on the third Tuesday in January, and regular meetings shall be held on the third Tuesday of every month, excepting June, July, August and September, at such time and place as the Directors shall appoint. Special meetings shall be called by the Clerk, under the instruction of the Directors.

At all meetings ten members shall be a quorum for business. All Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise ordered.

Any business which has not been acted on by the Directors shall be referred to them without debate, at the request of any member present.

VII

OFFICERS

The Officers of the Society shall consist of a President, Vice-President and seven other Directors, a Clerk and a Treasurer.

The Directors, Clerk and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting in January, and shall hold office for one year, and until others are duly elected in their stead. The President and Vice-President shall be elected by the Board of Directors from their number. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

VIII

VACANCIES

Any vacancies in the offices of the Society may be filled for the remainder of their term by the Board of Directors, at any regular meeting, to serve until the next annual meeting of the Society. In the absence of the Clerk at any meeting, a Clerk *pro tempore* shall be chosen for that meeting.

IX

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

At the monthly meeting in December, a Nominating Committee of five persons shall be appointed, who shall report at the annual meeting a list of candidates for the places to be filled.

X

PRESIDING OFFICER

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings. In the absence of both, a President *pro tempore* shall be chosen from the Board of Directors.

XI

DUTIES OF THE CLERK

The Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duties.

He shall notify all meetings of the Society. He shall keep an exact record of all the proceedings of the meetings of the Society, and of its Directors.

He shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society, and place on file all letters received.

He shall enter the names of members systematically in books kept for the purpose, and issue certificates of life membership.

The Clerk shall have such charge of all property in the possession of the Society as may from time to time be delegated to him by the Board of Directors.

He shall acknowledge each loan or gift that may be made to and accepted in behalf of the Society.

XII

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER

The Treasurer shall collect all moneys due to the Society, and pay all bills against the Society, when approved by the Board of Directors.

He shall keep a full account of the receipts and expenditures in a book belonging to the Society, which shall always be open to the inspection of the Directors; and at the annual meeting in January he shall make a written report of all his doings for the year preceding.

The Treasurer shall give bond in the sum of one hundred dollars, with one surety, for the faithful discharge of his duties.

XIII

DUTIES AND POWERS OF DIRECTORS

The Directors shall superintend and conduct the prudential and executive business of the Society; shall authorize all expenditures of money; fix all salaries; provide a common seal; receive and act upon all resignations and forfeitures of membership, and see that the By-Laws are duly complied with.

The Directors shall have full power to comply with the terms of the lease of the rooms in the Old State House, made with the City of Boston, and to make all necessary rules and regulations required in the premises.

They shall annually, in the month of April, make careful comparison of the articles in the possession of the Society with the list to be returned to the City of Boston under the terms of the lease, and certify to its correctness.

They shall make a report of their doings at the annual meeting of the Society.

The Directors may, from time to time, appoint such sub-committees as they deem expedient.

XIV

MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS

Regular meetings of the Directors shall be held monthly, previous to the regular meetings of the Society.

Special meetings of the Directors shall be held in such manner as they may appoint; and a majority shall constitute a quorum for business.

XV

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint two Directors, who with the President, shall constitute the Committee of Finance to examine from time to time, the books and accounts of the Treasurer; to audit his accounts at the close of the year, and to report upon the expediency of proposed expenditures of money.

XVI

STANDING COMMITTEES

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint six standing committees (of which the Clerk of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*), as follows:—

Committee on the Rooms

A committee of seven members, to be called the Committee on the Rooms, of which the President of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Rooms (except books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans); the hanging of pictures, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Papers

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Papers, who shall have charge of the subject of Papers to be read, or other exercises of a like nature, at the monthly meetings of the Society.

Committee on Membership

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on Membership, whose duty it shall be to give information in relation to the purposes of the Society, and increase its membership.

Committee on the Library

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on the Library, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Library, including the acceptance or rejection, of all books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Publications

A committee of four or more members, to be called the Committee on Publications, who shall have charge of all the Publications of the Society.

Committee on Memorials

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Memorials, who shall have charge of such Memorials as the Society may vote to erect.

These six committees shall perform the duties above set forth, under the general supervision of the Directors.

Vacancies which may occur in any of these committees during their term of service shall be filled by the President.

XVII

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may also be made by the like vote at any regular meeting, provided notice of the same be contained in a call for such meeting issued by the Clerk, and sent to every member.

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BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

AT THE

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Committee on Publications

John W. Farwell
Albert Matthews
Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.
James M. Hunnewell
The Clerk

BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING

THE Forty-third Annual Meeting of the Bostonian Society was held in the Council Chamber of the Old State House, Boston, on Tuesday, January 15, 1924, at 3 P. M., in accordance with a notice mailed to every member. The President, Grenville H. Norcross, occupied the chair.

The records of the last monthly meeting were read and approved, and the following Reports were presented:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

To the Members of the Bostonian Society:

Your Directors have the honor of presenting their Annual Report for the past year:

MEMBERSHIP

At the close of the year there were in the Society:

Honorary Members	2
Life Members	759
Annual Members	572
Making a total of	1,333

A comparison of this record with that of one year ago shows that the Society has gained twenty-three members.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

The Annual Meeting and seven Monthly Meetings of the Society have been held during the past year; at these meetings the following papers have been read before the Society:

January 15: Annual Meeting. Annual Reports of the President, the Treasurer and the various Committees. Also,

the address delivered at the dedication of Camp Meigs in Readville as a Memorial, July 4, 1903; by Capt. Augustus S. Lovett.

February 20: "Longfellow and the North Shore"; by Charles S. Bangs, M.D.

March 20: "A Visit to Boston and Dedham, England"; with lantern slides; by Allan Forbes.

April 17: "Ancestor Hunting in England"; with lantern slides; by J. Gardner Bartlett.

May 15: "Two Massachusetts Pirates"; by George F. Dow.

October 16: "Rambles on Beacon Hill"; with lantern slides; by Allen Chamberlain.

November 20: "The Arnold Arboretum, a Museum of Living Trees and Shrubs"; with lantern slides; by Edward Irving Farrington.

December 18: "The Boston Tea Party"; by Sherwin Lawrence Cook.

NECROLOGY, 1923

During the past year we have learned of the deaths of the following forty-eight members of the Society.

Mrs. Elizabeth Goldthwaite Peirce, born in Boston, June 12, 1852, died in Newton, January 8.

Arthur Howard Nichols, born in Boston, September 9, 1840, died in Boston, January 9.

Herbert Leslie Carter, born in Boston, April 16, 1852, died in West Roxbury, January 10.

James Frederick Bliss, born in Boston, April 7, 1847, died in Boston, January 27.

James Edwin Huntress, born in Boston, April 30, 1846, died in Boston, January 28.

George Albert Draper, born in Hopedale, November 4, 1855, died in Boston, February 7.

James Warren Hayward, born in Boston, February 2, 1832, died in Cambridge, February 10.

Miss Eadith de Charmes Heath, born in Brookline, June 21, 1861, died in Brookline, February 16.

Henry Burr Howard, born in Fitchburg, March 24, 1855, died in Lynchburg, Va., March 6.

Frederick Wesley Parker, born in Boston, May 9, 1863, died in Somerville, March 6.

Ralph Blake Williams, born in Boston, July 13, 1872, died in Boston, March 8.

George Edward Pollard, born in Boston, December 18, 1841, died in Boston, March 9.

George Brune Shattuck, born in Boston, August 18, 1844, died in Boston, March 12.

Miss Harriet Gray, born in Rome, Italy, Nov. 20, 1832, died in Boston, March 14.

Miss Louise Kennedy, born in Roxbury, July 7, 1850, died in Concord, April 3.

William Thayer Farley, born in Boston, January 5, 1855, died in Weston, April 5.

Mrs. Harriot Curtis, born in Boston, November 16, 1841, died in Boston, April 8.

Horace Scudder Sears, born in Wayland, February 26, 1855, died in Weston, April 21.

Leonard Bailey Nichols, born in West Newbury, May 28, 1843, died in Brookline, May 6.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Sears, born in Boston, March 27, 1846, died in Boston, May 8.

Miss Susan Walker Vincent, born in South Boston, August 2, 1840, died in Boston, May 16.

Samuel Abbott, born in Boston, October 23, 1846, died in Roxbury, May 20.

Thomas Prince Beal, born in Charlestown, September 27, 1849, died in Beverly, May 24.

Henry Southworth Shaw, born in Boston, March 30, 1833, died in Milton, June 1.

Levi Lincoln Willcutt, born in West Roxbury, May 13, 1864, died in Brookline, June 2.

Otis Norcross, born in Boston, September 1, 1848, died in Boston, June 9.

William Blodget, born in Providence, R. I., May 31, 1850, died in Chestnut Hill, June 28.

Francis Cooney Hersey, born in Jamaica Plain, March 24, 1843, died in Kennebunk Beach, Me., July 1.

Miss Eleanor Goddard May, born in Dorchester, September 7, 1853, died in Boston, July 16.

Charles Augustus Vialle, born in Boston, May 8, 1839, died in Boston, August 1.

Cyrus Clark Marble, born in Turner, Me., April 23, 1836, died in Brookline, August 3.

David Pulsifer Kimball, born in Boston, September 30, 1833, died in Boston, August 7.

Solomon Piper Stratton, born in Boston, October 5, 1848, died in Magnolia, August 12.

Mrs. Mary Lee Blake, born in Boston, September 5, 1838, died in West Manchester, August 16.

William Claxton Bray, born in Turner, Me., September 11, 1859, died in Newton Centre, August 19.

James Richard Carter, born in Boston, January 4, 1849, died in Jefferson Highlands, N. H., September 13.

William Andrew Mehaffey, born in Harrisburg, Pa., December 19, 1849, died in Boston, September 23.

Loren Delbert Towle, born in Newport, N. H., March 25, 1874, died in Newton, September 28.

Joseph Frederic Ward, born in Spencer, November 26, 1843, died in Evanston, Ill., October 3.

William Streeter Richardson, born in Boston, February 12, 1852, died in Ponkapoag, October 6.

Frank Wheelock Wyman, born in Boston, March 23, 1854, died in Clifton, October 7.

Francis Hathaway Swift, born in New Bedford, January 8, 1884, died in Boston, October 7.

Alonzo Gifford Van Nostrand, born in Brooklyn, N. Y., July 4, 1854, died in New York, N. Y., November 5.

Edward Bernard Daily, born in Sheffield, Eng., January 23, 1853, died in Roxbury, November 8.

Mrs. Alice Louise Boardman, born in Salem, April 3, 1840, died in Boston, November 22.

Ezra Wilmarth Bartlett Taylor, born in Haverhill, January 9, 1858, died in Haverhill, December 24.

Alanson Bigelow, born in Westminster, August 3, 1837, died in Brookline, December 28.

Mrs. Hannah Davenport Brown, born in New York, N. Y. June 7, 1839, died in Boston, December 29.

Of these twenty-five were Life members and twenty-three were Annual members.

Frederic W. Parker, who died on March 6, had been a Director since 1917, and had given much assistance as a member of the Finance Committee. He was the Treasurer of the Bay State Historical League. At the funeral at his residence in Somerville on the 9th, this Society was represented by the President, Mr. Guild and Mr. Read.

The Bay State Historical League has had four meetings during the year, at each of which this Society has been represented by your President or delegates. These meetings were on January 6 at Chelsea with the Cary House Association; on April 21 at Christ Church, Boston; on June 30 at Wakefield; and on October 27 at Swampscott.

On March 12, your President attended by invitation the annual meeting of the Roxbury Historical Society, and on September 27, the President, with Mr. Farwell and Mr. Silsby, were present at the centennial anniversary meeting and reception of the New Hampshire Historical Society at Concord, New Hampshire.

The Maine Historical Society invited this Society to send a delegate to a special meeting held at Pemaquid on September 18, and Mr. John W. Farwell attended by appointment of your President.

Mr. Silsby attended as a delegate from the Society the exercises at the unveiling of a memorial bench at the Pilgrim Spring in Plymouth by the Society of the American Colonists.

The 150th anniversary of the Boston Tea Party occurred on Sunday, December 16. On the day before, a very successful celebration took place at the Old South Meeting House, under the direction of the Massachusetts Society, Sons of the American Revolution and the City of Boston. At the December meeting of this Society on the 18th, the Boston Tea Party was

the special subject, and an interesting and instructive address was given by Sherwin Lawrence Cook.

The two hundredth anniversary of the first service at Christ Church was commemorated by special services there on Sunday, December 30, at which Charles F. Read, Miss Harriet Hancock Newman, William B. Revere and T. Julien Silsby were present as delegates from this Society.

Charles C. Dogan, a pupil of the English High School appointed by the Mayor, read the Declaration of Independence from the balcony of the Old State House, on July 4 and on December 24, four trumpeters from the Band of the 211th Machine Gun Battalion, 1st Corps of Cadets, played Christmas music on the same balcony for a half hour at noon.

For the Directors: GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
Old State House, *President.*
Boston, January 18, 1924.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ROOMS

The Committee on the Rooms reports as follows for the year 1923:

There have been added to the Collections of the Society the following articles which should receive special mention:

President Norcross has given a hand-colored engraved map entitled "Boston, Its Environs and Harbours, with the Rebels Works Raised Against the Town, 1775." It was drawn by Capt. John Montressor, Chief Engineer of America in 1776.

Benjamin H. Currier has given us a deed of property on Fort Hill sold by Francis Lyford to Magnis White for the consideration of ninety pounds. It is dated February 19, 1678, and bears the signature of Simon Bradstreet, Deputy Governor of the Massachusetts Bay Colony.

From Mrs. Jerome W. Doten we have received the handcuffs which were on the wrists of the slave, Anthony Burns, when, heavily guarded, he was marched through Boston streets to be returned to slavery. Mrs. Doten is the granddaughter of Robert Taylor, Chief of Police of Boston in 1854, when the rendition of Burns occurred.

Charles H. Taylor has given to the Collections a photograph showing the stone steps and overhanging iron arch which has been for many years at the corner of Province and Bosworth Streets.

During the year the sum of $722.90 has been expended by the Committee for the care of the Rooms and for framing pictures, and the Society has received $252.22 from the sale of souvenir cards and prints and the sale of Town House books.

For the Committee,

CHARLES H. TAYLOR, HENRY W. CUNNINGHAM,
COURTENAY GUILD, NATHANIEL T. KIDDER,
JOSEPH G. MINOT, THE PRESIDENT AND THE CLERK, *ex officiis*.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1923.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S COLLECTIONS, 1923

DONORS	DESCRIPTIONS
Bolles, Mrs. William P.	A crayon portrait of George Hollingsworth, for many years a teacher in the Lowell Institute Drawing School.
Burgess, John E.	A small plate marked "Spring Lane Dining Room."
Chandler, Charles H.	A paper entitled "Illustrated Boston," with one hundred and three lantern slides.
Currier, Benjamin H.	A deed of land of property on Fort Hill; dated 1678; it bears the signature of Governor Simon Bradstreet.
Daniels, Mrs. Susan U.	A Franklin School medal awarded to Frederick T. Nash in 1865.
Davenport, George H.	An album containing principally autographs of well-known actors and actresses.
Doten, Mrs. Jerome W.	A pair of steel handcuffs worn by Anthony Burns, the slave, when, heavily guarded, he was marched through Court and State Streets in 1854 to be returned to the South by vessel.
Elliot, George B.	The brass front door key of the American House, about 1863.
Heffernan, Rev. David R.	Two Washington buttons, inscribed "Long live the President;" worn when George Wash-

	ington was inaugurated President in April, 1789.
Mears, William N.	A photostat of Lamb's Map of Boston, 1635, with a list of citizens recorded thereon.
Norcross, Grenville H.	A rare copy of Montressor's Map of Boston, showing the fortifications erected during the Revolution. Miscellaneous cards, prints, etc.
Parsons, Charles S.	A one thousand dollar blank certificate of stock inscribed Boston Water Script, April 1, 1849. A miscellaneous collection of relics.
Rackemann, Charles S.	A collection of Boston and Suffolk Co. real estate atlases.
Souther, Horatio, Estate of	An oak table which was at one time in the Pierce House in Dochester; on it is carved the coat of arms of the Pierce family and the inscription "Mary and John, 1630". *Note: Mary and John* was the name of the ship in which Robert Pierce, the emigrant, came to New England from England in 1630.
Souther, John F.	A silver pitcher and salver given to John Souther, proprietor of the Globe Iron Works, by his employees as a testimonial of respect and gratitude for a reduction of the hours of labor to ten hours a day. A cannon ball raised from the bed of the Charles River by a suction dredge when the Charles River dam was built. It was probably fired at the Battle of Bunker Hill.
Taylor, Charles H.	A photograph of the Bosworth Street steps and the over-hanging iron lantern support. Eight wood engravings showing Boston buildings and events. Miscellaneous documents, business cards, etc.
Thurston, John H.	A collection of lantern slides which illustrate a paper written by William Lloyd Garrison, the younger, on the life and times of his father, the abolitionist.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY

The Committee on the Library herewith reports for the year 1923. During that time forty-nine volumes and one hundred and nine pamphlets have been placed on the shelves. Included are a number of books of an historical or a biographical character. They tell us of the history of our city, now approaching

its Ter-centenary, and also of the lives of eminent Bostonians. Of these we may appropriately record the following: "The Life of Francis Amasa Walker, the Biography of an Eminent American," by James Phinney Munroe; "Thomas Jefferson Coolidge, 1831–1920, an Autobiography"; "Three Generations," which relates the lives and activities of Julia Ward Howe and her descendants, by her daughter, Maud Howe Elliott; and the book entitled, "Paul Revere and His Famous Ride," by Charles C. Farrington.

We have received "Boston, 1822–1922, the Story of Its Government and Principal Activities During One Hundred Years"; "The Pirates of the New England Coast," and "Colonial Lighting."

Other books received are the Vital Records of four Massachusetts towns, Acton, Deerfield, Mendon and Plympton; the Proceedings of the Massachusetts Historical Society for 1922–1923, and the Journals of the House of Representatives of Massachusetts, 1722–1723. Several of the above-mentioned books have been purchased from the income of the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund, which at the close of the year amounted to $738.67.

There have been received through the year serial numbers of the following societies and business organizations: The Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities, the New England Historic Genealogical Society, the Essex Institute, the Medford Historical Society, the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.

During the year 1923, there has been expended for the binding of books and for clerical work the sum of $67.25.

For the Committee:

Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,	Percival Merritt,
Walter K. Watkins,	Henry W. Lamb,
William G. Shillaber,	The Clerk.

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1923.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S LIBRARY, 1923.

Donors	Volumes	Pamphlets
Atherton, Frederick	4	
Bailey, Alvin R.	1	
Boston Chamber of Commerce		52
Boston Public Library		16
Boston Veteran Firemen's Association	1	
Brookline Historical Society		1
City of Boston	2	
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	3	
Coolidge, T. Jefferson	1	
Crocker, Douglas	1	
Edes, Mrs. Henry H.	1	
Essex Institute		5
Evans, Charles	1	
Fagan, James O.		1
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	2	
Massachusetts Historical Society	1	
Medford Historical Society		4
Merritt, Percival		2
National Society, Sons of the American Revolution		4
New England Historic Genealogical Society		5
New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.		12
Norcross, Grenville H.	5	
Pickering, Henry G.	12	
Purchased	10	3
Silsby, T Julien	1	
Smithsonian Institution	1	
Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities		3
State Street Trust Co.		1
Stephens, Brad and Co.	1	
Taylor, Charles H.	1	
Total	49	109

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

The Committee on Publications reports as follows for the current year:

The frontispiece of the Annual Proceedings for 1924 shows four interior views of the Old State House, the home of the Society. One view is of the Council Chamber where the

Royal Governors and their Councils ruled the Province until the Revolution; after them the Constitutional Governors and their Councils presided over the destinies of the State until the completion of the State House on Beacon Hill in 1798. It is the principal room of the building and in it are held the meetings of the Society.

Another view is of Representatives Hall, in which the Massachusetts House of Representatives formerly held their meetings. It is now an exhibition hall, and in it are show cases filled with relics of Boston.

The other views are of the lower and upper rotundas in the center of the building and show the beautiful circular staircase which is the admiration of the thousands of persons who visit yearly the ancient and historic building.

The two illustrations which accompany the paper on the Gardiner Greene House show Gardiner Greene, who occupied it as his residence from 1803 until his death in 1832, and a reproduction of an oil painting of the terraced garden of the Gardiner Greene Estate.

The Committee also reports the Series 2, Volume IV of the Bostonian Society Publications is in press and will be issued as soon as possible. It is entitled "The Letters of Lafayette" and is illustrated with portraits of the "Knight of Liberty." The letters which are in the book are in the Colburn Collection of Portraits and Autographs which is in the possession of the Society. The book has been edited by Henry Horace Morse, a member of the Society.

For the Committee,

John W. Farwell, Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.
Albert Matthews, James M. Hunnewell.

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1923.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

The Committee on Memorials begs to report for the past year:

The Committee's report in the Annual Proceedings for 1923 referred to the Washington Tablet which was for many years at the corner of Court and Tremont Streets. The bronze tablet which will now mark the site will be inscribed:

GEORGE WASHINGTON
WHEN PRESIDENT OF
THE UNITED STATES
LODGED IN A HOUSE
ON THIS SITE
OCTOBER 24–29, 1789.
PLACED BY THE BOSTONIAN SOCIETY
1924.

It will be placed during the coming spring.

For the Committee,

COURTENAY GUILD, CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
WILLIAM Q. WALES.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1923.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

The Committee on Finance submits the following report for the year 1923:

At the close of the year 1922 the Permanent Fund amounted to $74,887.46.

During the year the Permanent Fund has been increased by the fees of forty life members amounting to $1,190.00 and by an increase of $82.27 in the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund.

Bonds of the value of $1,980.00 have been called and the Committee has purchased bonds amounting to $2,855.97.

At the close of the year the Permanent Fund amounted to

$76,983.32. Of this amount $75,000.00 is invested in bonds valued at par, the James Lyman Whitney Fund, deposited in the Franklin Savings Bank amounts to $738.67, and there is on deposit in the New England Trust Co. an uninvested balance of $1,244.65.

For the Committee,

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS, COURTENAY GUILD,
JOHN W. FARWELL.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1923.

PERMANENT FUND

The Society has a Permanent Fund, made up from Life Membership Fees, gifts and bequests, well invested, which it is earnestly desired may be increased. The Permanent Fund of the Society includes the following special gifts:

Boston Memorial Association Fund	$1,179 51
Robert C. Billings Memorial	3,000 00
Edward I. Browne Bequest	1,000 00
George O. Carpenter Memorial	1,000 00
Benjamin H. Dewing Bequest	100 00
John W. Farwell Gift	500 00
Curtis Guild Memorial	1,000 00
James F. Hunnewell Memorial	1,000 00
Lucy A. Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Otis Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Catherine P. Perkins Bequest	4,000 00
Caroline F. Sanborn Bequest	2,000 00
Samuel E. Sawyer Bequest	4,610 87
Joseph H. Stickney Bequest	1,000 00
Joseph C. Storey Bequest	2,000 00
William B. Trask Bequest	500 00
James L. Whitney Library Fund	738 67
Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., Bequest	3,000 00

FORM OF BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to the BOSTONIAN SOCIETY, in the City of Boston, the sum of.....dollars for the general use and purpose of the said Society.

Charles F. Read, *Treasurer*, in account with the Bostonian Society

Current Account

Dr.

1923		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 34 30
Dec. 31	563 Assessments	2,815 00
	Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,500 00
	Marine Museum	676 12
	Income from Permanent Fund	3,000 00
	Interest from the New England Trust Co.	8 50
	Sales of Publications and Souvenirs	252 22
	Gift from Frank G. Webster	100 00
		$8,386 14

Cr.

1923		
Dec. 31	Salaries	$5,075 50
	Committee on Rooms, electric lighting and miscellaneous	722 90
	Committee on Publications, Annual Proceedings, 1923, and miscellaneous	585 18
	Committee on Library, clerical work, binding and miscellaneous	256 50
	Postage	315 50
	Insurance	17 00
	Printing	405 95
	Petty Cash Expenditures	332 22
	Miscellaneous Expenditures	628 80
	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	46 59
		$8,386 14

December 31, 1923.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

Permanent Fund

Dr.

1923		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 431 06
Dec. 31	Forty Life Membership Fees	1,190 00
	Income of Investments	3,509 56
	Investment paid	1,980 00
		$7,110 62

Cr.

1923		
Dec. 31	Investments made	$2,799 50
	Accrued Interest on Same	56 47
	Transfer of Income to Current Accounts	3,000 00
	Refund	10 00
	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	1,244 65
		$7,110 62

December 31, 1923.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

James Lyman Whitney Library Fund

Dr.			Cr.		
1923			1923		
Jan. 1	Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank	$ 656 40	Dec. 31	Purchases of books	$ 28 05
Dec. 31	New England Trust Co., trustee	79 77		Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank	738 67
	Interest	30 55			
		$ 766 72			$ 766 72

December 31, 1923.

CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

The Permanent Fund of the Society is invested in the following bonds:

Massachusetts 3½%	$8,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4%	3,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4½%	2,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 6%	1,500 00
American Tel. and Tel. Co. 4 %	10,000 00
N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R. 4 %	2,000 00
United Electric Securities 5%	5,000 00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	2,000 00
Dominion of Canada 5 %	10,000 00
Detroit Edison Co. 7 %	2,000 00
Pennsylvania R. R. 7 %	2,000 00
New York Telephone Co. 6 %	2,000 00
Western Tel. and Tel. Co. 5 %	2,000 00
Mass. Gas Co. 4½ %	4,000 00
Kansas City Terminal 4 %	5,000 00
Missouri Pacific R. R. 4 %	5,000 00
Chicago Junc. and U. S. Y. 5 %	5,000 00
First U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	500 00
Second U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	500 00
Third U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	3,000 00
Fourth U. S. Liberty Loan 4¼ %	500 00
	$75,000 00

The undersigned, of the Committee on Finance of the Bostonian Society, having examined the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1923 and the vouchers therewith presented, hereby certify to the correctness of the same.

They have also examined the securities of the Society and find them correct, according to the Treasurer's statement.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
COURTENAY GUILD,
of the Committee on Finance.

January 15, 1924.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee which was appointed to nominate Officers of the Bostonian Society for the ensuing year begs to report that it has attended to its duty and proposes the following candidates:

For Directors

Charles H. Taylor,
John W. Farwell,
Grenville H. Norcross,
Courtenay Guild,
Joseph Grafton Minot,
Henry W. Cunningham,
Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,
William Q. Wales,
Nathaniel T. Kidder.

For Clerk and Treasurer

Charles F. Read.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Gardner W. Allen, *Chairman*,
Katherine P. Loring,
Charles H. Stearns,
T Julien Silsby,
Frank W. Bayley.
Nominating Committee.

January 9, 1924.

GARDINER GREENE, 1753–1832

THE GARDINER GREENE MANSION ON PEMBERTON HILL

A letter from his daughter Mrs. Charles Amory to James Sullivan Amory; given to the Society by Frederic Amory in 1923 and read by the clerk at the annual meeting for 1924.

BROOKLINE, MASS.
November, 1869.

MY DEAR MR. AMORY:

I trust you will not consider me inattentive in not fulfilling my promise sooner of giving all the information in my power about my father's house in Tremont Street, now Pemberton Square.

I find the task at this distance of time more difficult than I expected. When I try to recall the house to my mind and to specify the names and dates connected with the different owners, I find I am at a loss for facts. Accordingly, I can only describe it as a picture or dream of the past, as it dwells in my memory, and array it in such garb and tints as it appeared to my youthful fancy; these are perhaps fairer and brighter than the reality would appear.

The estate was bought of Mr. Vassall at auction by the late Mr. Jonathan Mason for $41,000, my father being present at the sale. On his return home, finding my mother was disappointed that he was not the purchaser, he subsequently offered Mr. Mason a small premium, which was accepted, and it became his own for life, and hers for as long as she pleased to keep it.

Previous to Mr. Vassall's ownership, to whom it belonged for many years, it was the property of a certain Mr. Hayley, if reports says truly, a gay liver and carouser!

Previously the house had been occupied by Englishmen of family during the stormy days of the Revolution, and there was a tradition that one of the Percys died within its walls. Even if untrue, the belief in it was unpleasantly strong, inas-

A full description of the Gardiner Greene Estate is to be found in the Bostonian Society Publications; Series 1, Volume XII.

much as ignorant servants from the old country, with a tinge of national superstition, believed certain portions to be haunted. No persuasions would induce them, after dark, to venture alone into the recesses of the spacious cellars, where ample supplies of golden Xeros and mellow Madeira were stored up that would be the pride and pleasure of the modern gourmand.

The house was said to have been fashioned in England and shipped to America, there to be joined and erected. When razed to the ground in 1834, the stout old English oak and rich Spanish mahogany wainscotings showed of what good timber it was built.

It stood on the lower side of Pemberton Square, before the ground was leveled, the room on the left of the broad front door commanding the same view as that from the house occupied by Mr. Winthrop. The position being so high, the entrance was reached by lofty flights of white granite steps, the ground in front terraced and shaded by tall, melancholy, Lombard poplars, so much in favor in those days for pleasure grounds; but to our great satisfaction these were eventually superseded by the more graceful and luxuriant English elms, limes and willows.

The large wing, an excrescence from the original building, containing a kitchen of sufficient proportions to enclose an entire modern house, stood in a square courtyard. Here were the stable, carriage and outhouses, among which I must enumerate the *gardener's* and *cow's* houses, which gentleman and lady were important characters in the establishment. Scarcely less so was the shaggy mastiff, always "Pedro," who *manned* the walls and who occasionally condescended to furnish a pair of mittens from his abundant hair—a very terror in his grim looks and savage bark to the venturous urchin who should contemplate intrusion within the precints he guarded!

A high wall on the other two sides shut off the court from the street and from the front grounds. The principal door was in the center of the house, through which a wide hall, wainscoted in dark, veneered mahogany, led to the back yard, as, in those primitive days, the fine, square, paved court with its

majestic widespreading linden tree in the center, and luxuriant gardens surrounding it, was called. An ample staircase, with generous broad landings and the same polished hardwood wainscoting, led to the large square chambers above, and was separated from the back and humbler flight by a grand old window, which allowed all the light of day and the soft beams of the moon to shine through it with a wealth of warmth and cheerfulness such as we should highly enjoy in a town house of the present day.

I wish I could bring before your eye the garden view from those chamber windows, rendered by contrast with that of the town around more lovely, so quiet and beautiful in its repose and verdure and yet so social with the neighboring grounds and homes. Having hinted at the view, we will only say that the upper and third stories contained the four large chambers and generous closets usual in those times, and, descending, we find the breakfast room on the right of the front door already mentioned, with its tiled chimney-piece, in after days to be ruthlessly torn down to give place to the more convenient, prosaic grate. How wonderfully suggestive those old tiles were to the youthful eyes that gazed upon them, while fancy was busy inventing a history for each picture, some of scripture worthies! Others there were, like the wonderful one of the grim old miser with his keys and money bags, that I would give something to possess at this very day. The hearth, too, I think, was of tiles—old Delft, it may be, from Holland. I hate to tear myself away, so dear would all these be to the collector of today!

Nothing but the view down Court Street, with the provoking intrusion of the upstart block opposite, known as Scollay's Buildings, need detain us here. Crossing the hall above named we enter into the very core and essence of this mansion of the last century, the drawing room. A sort of reverence attached to this apartment in those more ceremonious days. It was graced by all that was elegant and aristocratic (in times when the term aristocratic was not one of contempt), 35 or 40 feet in length by 25 in width, with two windows on the front looking down Court Street, and a deep bold bow, with three more,

opening upon the flower garden all adorned with a finely carved wooden chimney-piece of delicate work. I wondered over the subject of this carving, but, childlike, never heard it explained. As I recall the rash charioteer and fiery steeds, I think it must have represented Phoebus, with the horses of the Sun!

Family pictures, by Copley, of stately dames and gentlemen in full-powdered wigs, hung upon the walls and glowed in the bright light; strange coincidence that the daughter of the artist, John Singleton Copley, should have been transplanted from her English home to find her father's works in the new land. Quaint old couches in morocco coverings, convex mirrors and lustres ornamented with glass drops reflecting all the prismatic colors in their many sided forms, were the furniture that our fathers chose.

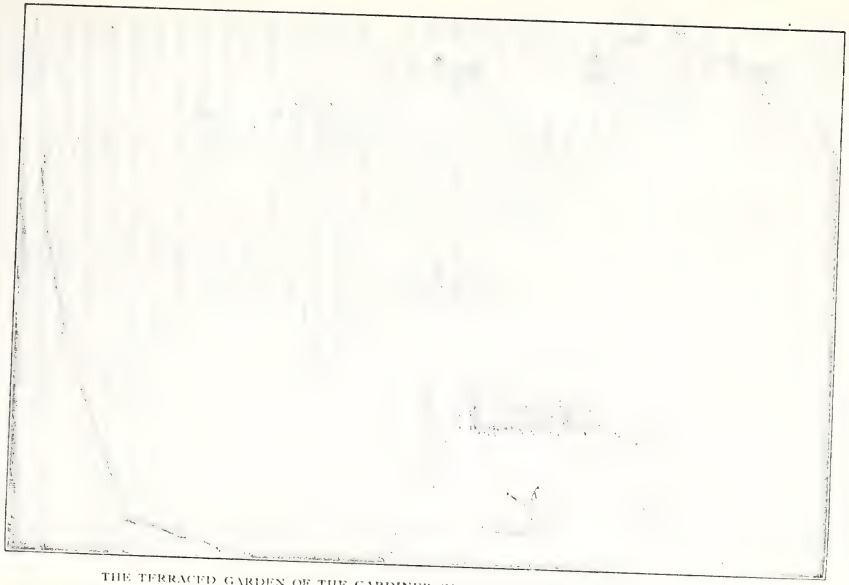
It would be a history of Boston society, through its different phases of Colonial and Republican rule, to tell of the guests who trod those ample floors. I remember but a few whom some trifling circumstance impressed on my youthful fancy: Quincys, Lafayette, Madison, the Adamses, Hayne, Webster, and scores of noble names;—beautiful women, too, who almost left a whisper about the rooms they graced.

No visitor who came to Boston willingly failed to visit the place—such was the reputation of the grounds and of the hospitality of the master. All who came were warmly welcomed in the fullest acceptation of the term.

The dining room opened on the hall, also, with a similar bow and windows on the flower garden, with its southern exposure to the court and terraced gardens beyond. Here the cunning hand of the carver had curiously and gracefully fashioned in the panels on each side of the bow elaborate designs of grapes, vines and leaves, in the quaint old way our fathers liked to choose in the ornaments, in unison with the purposes of the apartment.

Spacious arched recesses on each side of the chimney conveniently accommodated the generous beaufets, while the traditional clock in the corner, on its round of duty, sounded in vain, in those days of lengthened conviviality.

Large middle rooms, pantries, offices, passages and closets



THE TERRACED GARDEN OF THE GARDINER GREENE ESTATE ON PEMBERTON HILL

led on to the precincts of the kitchen, whose spacious fireplace was equal to all requirements.

The pampered, fat, consequential negro who reigned supreme in these regions, obsequious or coolly supercilious, according to circumstances, was a character necessarily belonging to the establishment of that day; the master, with his pets—dogs, monkeys, parrots, etc.—slowly loitering up and down the hall in the long summer days or idly lounging over the fire in winter.

But spacious and convenient as the house might be, all the charm of the place lay in the grounds; these were among the principal attractions of the town. I used, as a child, to reason something in this way: "Well, our garden may be very well for Boston, but when I have seen those of Europe, I shall find it but a poor place after all." This I mused as I dreamt of the wonders that lay beyond the seas I liked so well to watch from its highest point. After, however, spending much time in roaming through foreign lands and admiring far grander and more extensive grounds, I came back with the conviction that my native and quaint plantations had a charm peculiarly their own.

The flower garden, into which you stepped from the drawing and dining rooms, was laid out in little quaint parterres, much in the old Dutch style and surrounded by a trim, low border of box. Here every hardy flower and odoriferous shrub bloomed and shed its fragrance; rare trees were carefully reared in this sheltered nook, or trees that were rare in those primitive days when the gardener, like the plants, had to be expressly imported from the old country. Ours, indeed, was a character worthy of the graphic touches of a Dickens or a Callot! In his time he was famous as a man of science to whose memory the Society of Natural History erected a memorial tablet. He came out for General Knox's place at Thomaston, Me., but being an ornamental gardener, rather than a practical farmer, he passed into my father's service. Robert Wyatt, for such was his name, did credit to his Scotch training!

Among the exotics was the rare Japanese Jinko, with its dark, polished leaves and symmetrical trunk and branches, afterwards transplanted to the Common, where it prospered only

moderately in joyless old age. It was said no insect ever approached it. To our great delight, twice, and only twice, it bore beautiful yellow blossoms. Two superb English hawthornes shared the honors of the center of the garden and made up, by the profusion of pink blossoms, for their more parsimonious neighbor. During Election Week, that delight of the Boston youth, how this and the sweet-scented lilacs perfumed the air and shed their fragrance abroad! In the rear and above, a flight of lofty white stone steps led up into a square enclosure, surrounded by gravel walks, with borders of fruits and flowers, into which was twined the nursery garden; here were currants, mulberries and English gooseberries. I like to specify the two latter, as our own gardener taught us to believe it was the only spot in the vicinity where they came to perfection. Surely, there was a warmth of perfection in the way the land was laid out most favorable to horticulture! Luxuriant orchard trees—pear, apple and cherry—divided the humbler compartment from that of the hothouses and greenhouses. Here was the very kernel and seat of our Scotchman's empire! The pain that shot through his not very sympathetic heart when we ruthlessly mangled the delicate children of his care and brushed off the carefully ticketed names in Latin text! How incredulously we looked and wondered when he pointed out the large purple egg plant, hanging like a great tumor from its slender support, and the gorgeous scarlet tomato, and told us that in his country these were cooked and eaten, reminding us grimly and mistily of other kinds of food which in our simplicity we hardly believed a good Christian could eat and thrive upon!

Above these the ground rose sharply, in hanging gardens, to the hill, as the highest point was called. These terraces were narrow, allowing, however, a gravel walk in the center, with a border of flowers, edged with trellised vines. How beautiful their graceful foliage was in the early spring or, yet more, their bunches of green and purple grapes ripening in the golden autumn sun! A steep, grassy ascent on either side led to the summit, where a glorious view presented itself. The house and grounds diminishing to a miniature scale, the town

below, the neighboring gardens which surrounded and embraced all, the distant country beyond, with all its changing hues and scenes, the harbor and its islands, and, what was even more suggestive, the vast expanse of waters, with the glittering sails in every direction, spread to the breeze, with Mr. Phillips' summerhouse towering above to the right—all this charming scene the wonder and envy of my youth!

In 1832 we sailed for Europe and, when we returned at the end of 1834, house, garden and ground had vanished away like the baseless fabric of a dream!

MARTHA BABCOCK AMORY.

JOHN WISE, THE PREACHER OF AMERICAN INSURGENCY

A paper read before the Bostonian Society February 15, 1921

By Sherwin Lawrence Cook

Should one take from the shelves of the Library of Harvard University the volumes of Sibley's "Biographies of Harvard Graduates" and idly turn the pages, not only would his eye fall upon many names inseparably connected with the annals of Boston, but upon the names of many worthies from the then adjoining towns, that after many years became finally amalgamated with the city. If a Roxbury man should glance for a moment at the commencement program of the class of 1665, as given in Sibley's second volume, though his eye might be caught by the historic name of Jabez Fox, he might linger delightedly on the fact that the other two commencement speakers possessed names famous in the memorials of his town.

There is the name of Benjamin Eliot and that of the plausible and time-serving Joseph Dudley, of whom we must perforce have something to say in the course of this paper. In those days our communities had their patrician caste and there was a wide line of cleavage between the Dudleys and the man of whose career a word ought to be said, lest the remarkable and far-reaching influence of one of the greatest of New England's commoners be forgotten.

Again turning the leaves of Sibley's volume, we may arrive at the class of 1673. Here we find two more Roxbury names, George Alcock and John Wise. Young Alcock was the grandson and namesake of the first Alcock or, as the name subsequently was spelled, Alcott in New England. This worthy was not unimportant in Roxbury history. He belonged to the very earliest band of settlers, among whom was William Pynchon and Griffin Craft. According to Drake, his name is on the first known list of Roxbury inhabitants.

Before a church was organized in Roxbury her residents attended the Dorchester Church, and George Alcock was made deacon to represent the Roxbury members of the con-

gregation. Thwing tells us, in his "History of the First Church in Roxbury," that he was made a deacon at its organization. He was the first American ancestor of Bronson Alcott and his famous daughter Louisa, and when she came to Roxbury to the home of her physician, Dr. Rhoda Lawrence, and spent her last days in the house on Dunreath Place, the long arm of coincidence had brought her to her ancestral town.

George Alcock's son John was a local physician. Drake tells us that his homestead was on the easterly side of the hill on which, since its organization, has always stood a meeting house of the First Church in Roxbury, and that he owned a large stretch of farm land running north towards the neck from the burying ground.

There is a deep significance in the association of the names of these two lads, Alcock and Wise, in the annals of Harvard College. Young George Alcock was the son of Dr. John Alcock; John Wise was the son of Joseph Wise; Joseph Wise was the man servant of John Alcock.

Shall we not picture these two lads in Roxbury's streets, treading their equal way to the Latin School, perhaps engaging in the same sports and each working in the fields—chums, perhaps? But of a Sunday their paths separate at the church door, for the pews of the gentry were not the seats of the serving people. But here they both are in the same class at Harvard College. Alcock leaves us no history.

He went to England, perhaps on business, but more probably to study his father's profession of medicine. It is even possible that he had decided to make his home in the mother country. The reason is of little moment, for there, when he was only twenty-one, he suffered an attack of smallpox, which terminated fatally. His name does not appear upon the list of graduates of the "Grammer School in the Easterly Part of Roxbury," but it seems to us moderately certain that he must have attended it, for in his will, probably made during his last sickness, he made only two public bequests. He left five pounds to the First Church in Roxbury, and five to the school. His Harvard diploma was for many years in the possession of A. Bronson Alcott.

But what of the son of the servant? This was that John Wise, one of the famous men of his time, whose birthplace has almost forgotten the honor he has brought upon it, and yet who has earned immortality because, as has been truly said of him, he was "the first man in America ever known to oppose the idea of taxation without Representation."

This remarkable man was born in Roxbury in 1652. Little is known of his family. The name of Joseph Wise is not to be found in the list of church members in Thwing's valuable history, but we do find in the list of those who joined between 1631 and 1650 the name of Mary, his wife, and the mother of the subject of this sketch. He attended the Latin School and was the tenth boy to graduate, being the only one graduated in 1669.

At that time there had never been more than two graduates at a time, and that had happened only twice. The first to graduate was the second John Eliot, who matriculated in 1652, and five of the ten were of that family. There was no graduation in ten of the years preceding Wise's; in fact, we get well into the nineteenth century and beyond the period of the Civil War before we find graduations continuous without the dropping of a year. Wise was in the class of 1673 at Harvard, receiving his M.A. in 1676, and on that occasion delivered an oration, the subject of which may well puzzle the learned. This was its title:

"An Impossible *Sit Mundum Fuisse.*"

To finish as nearly as possible with dates, let me say here that he lived to be seventy-two, and died in 1725, fifty years before the firing of the "shot heard round the world," just as he received his final degree, a hundred years before the year of the great Declaration for which he had done so much to pave the way.

After leaving college Roxbury seems to have known him no more. He left no influential family behind him, as did Joseph Warren, to remind contemporaneous Roxbury, throughout his career, that he was one of her sons.

Choosing the ministry as a profession, Wise seems to have preached in various towns in Connecticut and Massachusetts,

declining calls to Branford and Hatfield, and to have been chaplain of a five days' military expedition. Finally he accepted a call to Chebacco, that part of Ipswich which has since become the town of Essex.

It is worth while to look at the method of life of the country parson of those days, so far as the grants to Wise can indicate it. His salary was to be 60 pounds a year. One third of this sum was to be in money, the rest in grain at current quotations. He was also to receive the strangers' contributions. Apparently the membership supported the church in another manner than dropping their contributions in the plate. He was also to be the recipient of forty cords of oak wood and eight loads of hay. He was further given at the outset ten acres of land on which his parishioners were to build a parsonage and barn, and keep them in repair. In other words, the minister must also be a farmer. He had ten acres to till, hay for his live stock, wood for his fires, and forty pounds' worth of grain was to be added to his own crop.

It was the old system that had evolved in England types of parsons like those created by Goldsmith and Sterne, and it is a blessing and perhaps a wonder that there, as well as here, it produced the gentle Dr. Primroses as well as the truculent Trullibers, in our eighteenth-century life.

Despite the disadvantages of this system, the picture is a pleasant one. Here is the lusty young preacher, a young man in his thirties, with a physique of great development—he would have been a football centre had he gone to college in modern times—working with a will on most secular days, preparing his sermons after the hay was gathered or the oats cut, visiting and praying with the sick, and changing his simple clerical apparel for his working clothes on his return. So strong was he reputed to be that a militant bully sought to wrestle with him. So aggravating were his taunts that the fighting parson at last took him on, and not only threw him but then tossed him over the hedge into the road, where his discomforted antagonist mildly suggested that if Wise would kindly toss his horse over after him he would go about his business.

We can see him coming in from the fields, washing at the pump, saying grace before meat and then, surrounded by his seven children, proving a valiant trencherman toward the wholesome meal which his wife, who had been Abigail Gardner of Muddy River, had provided. Parenthetically let me suggest that this marriage, five years after his college graduation, probably eventuated from a Roxbury courtship begun while he was living in that town, for in those days the inhabitants of the Muddy River community, which later became known as Brookline, worshiped at the Roxbury Church.

We must temporarily leave this happy, reverent and bucolic scene and, turning our eyes toward Boston, take cognizance of that other Roxbury figure, Joseph Dudley, at the height of his colonial greatness.

James the Second is on his throne in England. Sincere and gloomy, he takes a solemn view of the functions of his office. Kingship is kingship, and must be upheld. No man more thoroughly and honestly believed in the divine right of kings. The least attractive and, since the fate of his father seems to have given him an unearned halo, the most unfortunate of the Stuarts, he was at the same time the best. But his convictions were reactionary convictions, and he and they were destined to fall before the march of the English-speaking race towards Democracy. He came to the throne inheriting from his brother a quarrel with the stiff-necked New England colonies, arising from certain independent trade relations, from giving asylum to the regicides, and from a very cavalier treatment of royal commissioners, sent to investigate matters. To cowe the recalcitrant colonists, Charles had chosen as governor Col. Percy Kirke, that gentle soul, known best in history as the leader of those hardened military rustabouts called "Kirke's Lambs."

He had not departed for America when Charles died, leaving the final adjustment of these matters still unsettled. The Kirke menace had been a very real one, and it was with positive joy that the new king was proclaimed with pomp in the streets of Boston. But despite the beating of drums and blare of trumpets, the presence of the Governor, Deputy and Assist-

ants on horseback, the parade of foot companies and a troop of horse and much waste of gunpowder, James was not the man to lightly pass by these charges.

There were deep potentialities in his selection of Sir Edmund Andros to be governor of New England. Andros was the type that one would expect to be selected by this particular king. Smileless and brusque, he was courageous, stubborn and faithful to his acknowledged master.

In effect Andros strove to maintain a military government, centralizing power that had resided in various communities under colonial charters. His most useful work lay in cultivating friendship with the Indians and strengthening his frontiers. His civic efforts met with anything but success. For two years and a half it was a running battle between the governor and the people. On arriving he took the reins of government from Joseph Dudley, who as president of the colony had been temporarily in charge, and this remarkable gentleman then became chief justice.

The efforts to centralize the government met with resistance in some cases, with sullen acquiescence in others. In Connecticut the famous disappearance of the charter gave the famous Charter Oak to literature. An unswerving monarchist, Andros even demanded the disuse of the very word commonwealth for the Royal province, which was intended finally to reach from Delaware Bay to Nova Scotia. While this consolidation meant the making of one powerful colony, perhaps better adapted for defense than the less powerful and unrelated units, to the colonists the paramount matter was the taking away of the elective assemblies. They intended to render such loyalty to their king as did their brethren in England, but they intended, like them, to have their representatives in the body that governed them.

Hutchinson, the Royal Governor of Revolutionary days, who is acknowledged by all not only to have been of heroic proportions, but to have been a wise and tolerant colonial historian, says in his history that "Nero concealed his tyrannical disposition more years than Sir Edmund and his creatures did months." None the less, he was honest, vigorous and

pure, a harsh figure, but with that stamina and character which Joseph Dudley so absolutely lacked.

The first clash with Andros came over the same matter that brought the first clash with Lord North—taxation. A tax of a penny on the pound was ordered to defray the expenses of a government in which those taxed had no part. A hard battle was put up against it in liberty-loving old Essex County. Ipswich bore the brunt of the resistance, and in the forefront of the struggle we see John Wise.

The *modus operandi* of this tax collection as arranged by the authorities imposed upon each of the towns the necessity of appointing an agent to collect their proportionate part of the tax. A town meeting was called in Ipswich to consider this particular business. On the night before this meeting the leading citizens of the town met in that now unduly discredited function called a parlor caucus. The ministers of both parishes were present, and, not without due understanding of the gravity of the decision, it was determined to advise resistance on the morrow. The next day the whole matter was laid before the town. John Wise led in the speaking, and the town of Ipswich by unanimous vote refused to take part in this levy. The meeting recorded itself in these words (relieved of their old-fashioned spelling):

"Considering that the said act doth infringe their liberty as free-born English subjects of his Majesty by interfering with the statutory laws of the land, by which it is enacted, that no taxes shall be levied on the subjects without consent of an assembly chosen by the freeholders for assessing the same.

"They do, therefore, vote that they are not willing to choose a Commissioner for such an end without said privileges.

"And, moreover, consent not that the Selectmen do proceed to lay out any such rate, until it be appointed by a General Assembly, concurring with the Governor and Council."

There is something strangely familiar in the record of these events. How like this story is to the tales of the days of old Sam Adams. The preliminary conference, not unlike those held in the Long Room Club, or in the Green Dragon Tavern; the town meeting with the sober colonists, all unruffled,

refusing in any way to abrogate what they conceived to be their rights, they were only anticipating the days of the Stamp Act and the Boston Tea Party.

When the rebellious attitude of Ipswich became known in Boston, that peer of official flunkyism, Joseph Dudley, accompanied by a subordinate, started post haste for the little town. Man after man from the surrounding country which had been touched by the fervor of the Ipswich heroes was placed under bond to appear before the governor and council for trial. No such dignified summons was in store for John Wise and his companions. They were arrested and carried in durance to Boston and placed in the common jail. After some delay they were brought before Andros and the council for a preliminary hearing. They were held for trial and remanded to jail after the governor had commented on the absurdity of expecting that "every Jack and Tom should tell the King what moneys he should have for the use of his government."

This confinement, if warranted at all by the charges, in the case of citizens of repute, who could at any time have furnished satisfactory bail, was unduly long and was undoubtedly a premeditated severity. It must have undermined the health of some of the Ipswich worthies. They made efforts to secure a release pending trial and—this being the one fly in the ointment of any writer who presents their history—they undoubtedly stooped too low in their petitions.

When these petitions were unavailing they prepared to confront their accusers with courage and fortitude. At last they faced their judges. There were four, Chief Justice Dudley presiding. On the bench sat the Roxbury aristocrat whose father had moved hither from Ipswich. Before him, as a culprit, stood the yeoman pastor who had left Roxbury and gone to Ipswich. There sat the one man who will go down in history as perhaps the most perfect type of sublimated time-serving henchmanship in colonial days confronted by the stubborn and independent minister who had refused to bow to power. The one, high in favor, was one day to be thrown into prison by his own compatriots; the other, jailed for a time by the military power of a usurping functionary was destined

to grow in influence and authority with the advancing years. Surely it is a picture full of contrasts.

The jury—as Wise subsequently claimed—was mostly made up of non-freeholders some of whom were nonresidents. Wise and his companions pleaded in their defense the Magna Charter and the repeal of the law of assessment. There was no question of how the case must terminate. No hanging judge ever went more deliberately or enthusiastically to work than did Dudley.

In replying to the plea he declared, "You must not think the laws of England follow you to the end of the earth or whither you go." This seems to be an early ruling on the since vexed question of whether the Constitution follows the flag. It was here that he delivered directly to Wise his famous dictum, which has heaped such obloquy upon his head, "you have no more privileges left you than not to be sold for slaves." He practised his wiles on the jury in the following words: "I am glad to see so many worthy Gentlemen of the Jury so capable to do the King a service, and we expect a good verdict from you, seeing the matter has been so well proved against the Criminals."

If there had been any question about this verdict before, none now remained. It was "Guilty," of course. Three weeks more were spent in jail by the Ipswich farmers and their minister without sentence being pronounced. When at last punishment was meted out, Wise was fined fifty pounds, and put under bonds to keep the peace. He was also removed from his ministry, but this right was soon restored to him.

Now we turn our eyes back to England. The Stuart tyranny is reaching its zenith. William and Mary are finally proclaimed and sent for. Revolt against Andros had been brewing, and this brings it to a head. Andros is taken and, along with Dudley, sent back to England. This would mean terrible vengeance had William's cause been lost and Andros returned supported by the military power of a revengeful king, but it was a step the colonists dared to take, and there was much rejoicing and deep relief when at last news of James's flight reached Boston.

So Joseph Dudley goes out of our story and we have no concern with his many future vicissitudes, pictorial and varied though they were.

Wise now returns to Boston representing his town as one of the commissioners to plan the restoration of representative government. He must have been looked upon by this body as John Brown, had he survived, would have been looked upon by the Union Convention, which in 1864 renominated Abraham Lincoln for the Presidency. In orderly fashion the colonists prepared their defense for their unseating and exiling of Andros, and to Wise was intrusted the preparation of that portion of the arraignment of Royalist excesses of which he and his town had been the victims. With this public service he ceases temporarily to be a notable, but his life was full of activity. Like that other great Roxbury citizen, Robert Calef, he saw the error of the witchcraft delusion and labored valiantly, though less significantly, against it. He was the Chaplain of the ill-fated expedition against Quebec conducted by Sir William Phipps, and wrote an account of it, which is one of our accepted source books of colonial history. He was treasurer of an emigration project, and as such in 1696 sent several pioneers to South Carolina to report on the nature of the country. His instructions to these agents are also in print, and contain these words, of advice: "To think of any country this side of Heaven should have a writ of ease and security against death and disease is but vanity. But to ascertain whether the country may or may not be more incident to sickness and disease than ours."

We now come to the other great period in his life. There was published in Boston on November 5, 1705—Guy Fawkes Day as it happened—an anonymous pamphlet entitled "Questions and Proposals." Purporting to come from an informal association or conference of ministers in and near Boston, it was generally and, probably correctly, believed to have emanated from the Mathers. It was a subtle document which, with much masking, indirection and hinting, was palpably a feeler for a movement to take gradually from the laity the powers of church government and place it in the hand of clergy.

The theology of this controversy is of no interest to us. Probably the two points of view—authority and congregational government—will now always exist side by side in this country. What does interest us, in John Wise's part in this controversy, is something quite different. He took plenty of time to let its plea be understood. Perhaps he modestly awaited the coming of another champion. At last, like another great reformer, feeling that, God helping him, he could do no otherwise, he published his answer, entitled, "The Church's Quarrel Espoused."

His reply was an exposition of principles, which were not alone applicable to churches but, carried to a logical end, must affect the government of men. In other words, it was one of the great New England essays on the principles of democracy. In it he sets forth a declaration of principles, and among them we find these:

"That all Englishmen live and die by laws of their own making."

"That English government and law is a charter party settled by mutual compact between persons of all degrees in the nation and no man must start from it."

Professor Moses Coit Taylor, who in his history of American Colonial Literature—a standard and accepted authority—calls John Wise the first great American Democrat, terms this book, from a literary standpoint, a work of art. Its construction is admirable, it is delicately proportioned and is replete with eloquence, sarcasm and wit.

A few years later he published another and perhaps even greater book on the same lines, "A Vindication of the Government of the New England Churches." This was his chief literary accomplishment. This book was the finest treatise on a Republican form of government which had yet been written in the colonies. We are told that no American author of his time was his equal in the union of great breadth and power of thought with greater splendor of style, and that he combines a racy and dainty humor with impassioned earnestness. The most famous passage it contains is the following:

"The End of all good government is to cultivate humanity and promote the happiness of all, and the good of every man in all his rights, his life, liberty, estate, honor and so forth, without injury or abuse to any."

This work was published seven years before his death. How these seven years were filled in his faithful administration of his pastorate, and in happy and peaceful farm life with his family around him, can be left to the imagination. Finally we read: "On the 8th of April died at Ipswich the Rev. Mr. John Wise, the worthy Pastor of the Church at Chebaco and on the twelfth was decently buried amidst the Honours and Lamentations of his Distressed friends and of his Loving and Generous flock and at their expense."

We are told that "He was richly adorned with the beauties of Nature and Grace and brightly polished with the elements of the best erudition." He told his son-in-law on his deathbed that while he had been a man of contention that the contests had been forced upon him by his conscience, and that he had fought a good fight; and this son-in-law, who preached his funeral sermon, added that in these contentions he was actuated equally by charity to persons and severity to opinions.

Our story does not end here. Only a score of years was to expire before men saw the gathering clouds of a great storm. The writs of assistance and the stamp act finally came. Otis made his great oration, and in 1764 published his pamphlet, "The Rights of the Colonies Vindicated." It may be that the word "Vindication" struck a responsive chord in the memories of some old men, for, two years after the Boston Massacre, there appeared a new edition of Wise's "Vindication."

Five hundred copies were published by John Boyles, and a second edition was immediately announced, orders being taken not alone by the publisher but by Edes & Gill, that notable printing firm, in whose back room so many patriotic moves were planned; and at the bookshop, whose presiding genius was that fine old patriot, destined to be a general in the impending struggle and the first war minister of the coming Republic, Henry Knox. All over the colonies was sent this propaganda.

In Virginia we can see a pale, sandy young man, not then thirty, bending over it and absorbing not only its general idea but its very phrases. He surely read the words: "The end of all good government is to cultivate humanity and promote the

good of every man in all his rights, his life, liberty, estate, honor and so forth, without injury or abuse to any." This phrase must have taken a strong hold upon his imagination, for, when the time came for Thomas Jefferson to write one of the great state papers in world history, consciously or unconsciously, he recast the words of John Wise and wrote, among his self-evident truths, "All men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness," and that "to secure these rights governments are instituted among men."

It may be that the "evil that men do lives after them," but it cannot be said of John Wise that the good had been "interred with his bones." Epitaphs are all too often fulsome and inaccurate, but we may justly repeat that chiseled on the stone of his preacher of the Commonwealth: "For talents, piety and learning, he shone as a star of the first magnitude."

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The Bostonian Society

for the purpose of promoting the study of the history of Boston, and the preservation of its antiquities, and have complied with the provisions of the Statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the President, Treasurer and Directors of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations and recorded in this office;

Now, Therefore, I, Henry B. Peirce, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, **do hereby certify** that said THOMAS C. AMORY, CURTIS GUILD, JOHN WARD DEAN, DORUS CLARKE, SAMUEL M. QUINCY, WILLIAM S. APPLETON, THOMAS MINNS, HENRY F. JENKS, JOHN T. HASSAM and DUDLEY R. CHILD, their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as and are hereby made an existing corporation under the name of

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with the powers, rights and privileges and subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions, which by law, appertain thereto.

Witness my official signature hereunto subscribed and the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

[Signed]

HENRY B. PEIRCE,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

THE BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

ORGANIZED TO PROMOTE THE STUDY OF THE HISTORY OF BOSTON AND THE PRESERVATION OF ITS ANTIQUITIES

BY-LAWS

I

OBJECTS

It shall be the duty of members, so far as may be in their power, to carry out the objects of the Society, by collecting, by gift, loan or purchase, books, manuscripts, and pictures, and by such other suitable means as may from time to time seem expedient.

II

MEMBERS

The members of the Bostonian Society shall be such persons, either resident or non-resident in Boston, as shall be elected to membership. Election shall be made by ballot by the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting.

III

HONORARY MEMBERS

Honorary Members shall be nominated by the Directors, and shall be elected by ballot by two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may take part in the meetings of the Society, but shall not be entitled to vote.

IV

ADMISSION FEE AND ASSESSMENTS

Each member shall pay five dollars at the time of his or her admission, and five dollars each first day of January afterwards, into the treasury of the Society for its general purposes; provided, however, that no person joining the Society on or after the first day of October in any year shall be required to pay an additional assessment for the year commencing on the first day of January following.

If any member shall neglect to pay his or her admission fee or annual assessment, for three months after the same is due, he or she shall be liable

to forfeit his or her membership at any time when the Directors shall so order.

The payment of the sum of thirty dollars in any one year by any member of the Society shall constitute him or her a life member of the Society; life members shall be free from assessments, and entitled to all the rights and privileges of annual members. The money received for such life membership shall constitute a fund, of which not more than twenty per cent., together with the annual income, shall be spent in any one year.

V

CERTIFICATES

Certificates, signed by the President and the Clerk, shall be issued, on application, to all persons who become life members of the Society.

VI

MEETINGS

The annual meeting of the Society shall be held on the third Tuesday in January, and regular meetings shall be held on the third Tuesday of every month, excepting June, July, August and September, at such time and place as the Directors shall appoint. Special meetings shall be called by the Clerk, under the instruction of the Directors.

At all meetings ten members shall be a quorum for business. All Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise ordered.

Any business which has not been acted on by the Directors shall be referred to them without debate, at the request of any member present.

VII

OFFICERS

The Officers of the Society shall consist of a President, Vice-President and seven other Directors, a Clerk and a Treasurer.

The Directors, Clerk and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting in January, and shall hold office for one year, and until others are duly elected in their stead. The President and Vice-President shall be elected by the Board of Directors from their number. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

VIII

VACANCIES

Any vacancies in the offices of the Society may be filled for the remainder of their term by the Board of Directors, at any regular meeting, to serve until the next annual meeting of the Society. In the absence of the Clerk at any meeting, a Clerk *pro tempore* shall be chosen for that meeting.

IX

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

At the monthly meeting in December, a Nominating Committee of five persons shall be appointed, who shall report at the annual meeting a list of candidates for the places to be filled.

X

PRESIDING OFFICER

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings. In the absence of both, a President *pro tempore* shall be chosen from the Board of Directors.

XI

DUTIES OF THE CLERK

The Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duties.

He shall notify all meetings of the Society. He shall keep an exact record of all the proceedings of the meetings of the Society, and of its Directors.

He shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society, and place on file all letters received.

He shall enter the names of members systematically in books kept for the purpose, and issue certificates of life membership.

The Clerk shall have such charge of all property in the possession of the Society as may from time to time be delegated to him by the Board of Directors.

He shall acknowledge each loan or gift that may be made to and accepted in behalf of the Society.

XII

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER

The Treasurer shall collect all moneys due to the Society, and pay all bills against the Society, when approved by the Board of Directors.

He shall keep a full account of the receipts and expenditures in a book belonging to the Society, which shall always be open to the inspection of the Directors; and at the annual meeting in January he shall make a written report of all his doings for the year preceding.

The Treasurer shall give bond in the sum of one hundred dollars, with one surety, for the faithful discharge of his duties.

XIII

DUTIES AND POWERS OF DIRECTORS

The Directors shall superintend and conduct the prudential and executive business of the Society; shall authorize all expenditures of money;

fix all salaries; provide a common seal; receive and act upon all resignations and forfeitures of membership, and see that the By-Laws are duly complied with.

The Directors shall have full power to comply with the terms of the lease of the rooms in the Old State House, made with the City of Boston, and to make all necessary rules and regulations required in the premises.

They shall annually, in the month of April, make careful comparison of the articles in the possession of the Society with the list to be returned to the City of Boston under the terms of the lease, and certify to its correctness.

They shall make a report of their doings at the annual meeting of the Society.

The Directors may, from time to time, appoint such sub-committees as they deem expedient.

XIV

MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS

Regular meetings of the Directors shall be held monthly, previous to the regular meetings of the Society.

Special meetings of the Directors shall be held in such manner as they may appoint; and a majority shall constitute a quorum for business.

XV

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint two Directors, who with the President, shall constitute the Committee of Finance, to examine from time to time, the books and accounts of the Treasurer; to audit his accounts at the close of the year, and to report upon the expediency of proposed expenditures of money.

XVI

STANDING COMMITTEES

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint six standing committees (of which the Clerk of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*), as follows:—

Committee on the Rooms

A committee of seven members, to be called the Committee on the Rooms, of which the President of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Rooms (except books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans); the hanging of pictures, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Papers

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Papers, who shall have charge of the subject of Papers to be read, or other exercises of a like nature, at the monthly meetings of the Society.

Committee on Membership

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on Membership, whose duty it shall be to give information in relation to the purposes of the Society, and increase its membership.

Committee on the Library

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on the Library, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Library, including the acceptance or rejection, of all books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Publications

A committee of four or more members, to be called the Committee on Publications, who shall have charge of all the Publications of the Society.

Committee on Memorials

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Memorials, who shall have charge of such Memorials as the Society may vote to erect.

These six committees shall perform the duties above set forth, under the general supervision of the Directors.

Vacancies which may occur in any of these committees during their term of service shall be filled by the President.

XVII

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may also be made by the like vote at any regular meeting, provided notice of the same be contained in a call for such meeting issued by the Clerk, and sent to every member.

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AT THE

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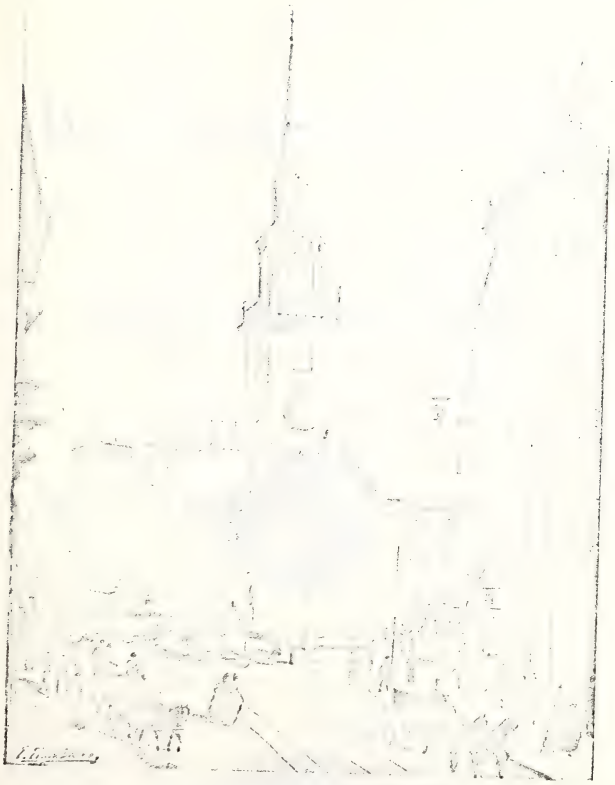

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The Clerk

BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

THE Forty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Bostonian Society was held in the Council Chamber of the Old State House, Boston, on Tuesday, January 20, 1925, at 3 P. M., in accordance with a notice mailed to every member. The President, Grenville H. Norcross, occupied the chair.

The records of the last monthly meeting were read and approved, and the following Reports were presented:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

To the Members of the Bostonian Society:

Your Directors have the honor of presenting their Annual Report for the past year:

MEMBERSHIP

At the close of the year there were in the Society:

Honorary Members	2
Life Members	764
Annual Members	588
Making a total of	1,354

A comparison of this record with that of one year ago shows that the Society has gained twenty-one members.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

The Annual Meeting and seven Monthly Meetings of the Society have been held during the past year; at these meetings the following papers have been read before the Society:

January 15: Annual Meeting. Annual Reports of the President, the Treasurer and the various Committees. Also,

the Clerk read a description of the Gardiner Greene Estate on Pemberton Hill, written in 1869 by Mrs. Charles Amory, a daughter of Gardiner Greene.

February 19: "The Ancestral Home of the Washingtons," with lantern slides; by Howard B. Burlingame.

March 18: "Boston, forty years ago." An illustrated paper on Boston, written by Arthur H. Dodd in 1884; with lantern slides; read by the Clerk.

April 15: "The Assassination of Abraham Lincoln"; it being the fifty-ninth anniversary of his death; by Quincy Kilby.

May 20: "Boston in Fiction"; with lantern slides; by Miss Martha A. Shannon.

October 21: "Clipper Ships"; with lantern slides; by Rev. Charles E. Park, D. D.

November 18: "Memories of English Authors"; by Miss Caroline Ticknor.

December 16: "Historic Public Buildings and Homes of old Boston"; with lantern slides; by Park Pressey.

NECROLOGY, 1924

During the past year we have learned of the deaths of the following forty-six members of the Society.

Died in 1922

Charles Albert Ruggles, born in Lancaster, March 27, 1849, died in Boston, December 2.

Died in 1923

Edward Ellis Adams, born in Charlestown, June 7, 1843, died in Newton Highlands, March 7.

Died in 1924

Miss Ellen Vose Smith, born in Boston, December 2, 1858, died in Waverly, January 2.

Edward Howard Haskell, born in Gloucester, October 5, 1845, died in Pasadena, Cal., January 8.

Alanson Henry Reed, born in Boston, March 1, 1841, died in Brookline, January 8.

Miss Ellen Frances Moseley, born in Medford, October 14, 1849, died in Boston, January 8.

Edward Irving Aldrich, born in Upton, June 18, 1851, died in Brookline, January 23.

Henry Walton Swift, born in New Bedford, December 17, 1849, died in Boston, January 24.

Mrs. Margaret Pelham Russell, born in Boston, February 21, 1858, died in Boston, January 25.

Everett Chamberlin Benton, born in Guildhall, Vt., September 25, 1862, died in Belmont, February 4.

George Barker James, born in South Boston, July 5, 1837, died in Brookline, February 23.

Miss Sarah Edith Willcutt, born in West Roxbury, October 30, 1856, died in Boston, February 25.

Charles Nason Shaw, born in Boston, February 1, 1861, died in Boston, March 5.

George Adams Leland, born in Boston, September 7, 1850, died in Boston, March 17.

Gilman Clarke Hickok, born in Broomfield, Conn., December 8, 1838, died in Everett, March 19.

Joseph Charles Pelletier, born in Boston, April 25, 1872, died in Boston, March 25.

Thomas Todd, born in Portland, Me., September 7, 1835, died in Concord, March 25.

Mrs. Florence Josephine Sands, born in South Boston, November 26, 1848, died in Boston, March 28.

Mrs. Mary Davis Beal Hooper, born in Boston, December 29, 1853, died in Lowell, March 29.

Mrs. Elizabeth Winthrop, born in Boston, October 1, 1845, died in Boston, April 22.

Horace Sears Crowell, born in South Boston, June 24, 1849, died in Brookline, April 22.

Howard Marston, born in Centerville, October 11, 1846, died in Boston, April 23.

Frank Merriam, born in Boston, November 6, 1850, died in Boston, April 26.

Edwin Atkins Grozier, born at sea, September 12, 1859, died in Cambridge, May 9.

Sewall Henry Hooper, born in Boston, July 29, 1853, died in Hingham, May 12.

Lucius Henry Warren, born in Charlestown, October 6, 1838, died in Boston, May 15.

Miss Louisa Putnam Loring, born in Boston, January 15, 1854, died in Beverly, May 18.

John Dudley Hardy, born in Woburn, September 21, 1860, died in Wellesley Hills, May 28.

Miss Miriam Perkins Loring, born in Boston, August 31, 1839, died in Boston, June 12.

Robert Hallowell Gardiner, born in Fort Tejon, Cal., September 9, 1855, died in Boston, June 15.

Frank Sturtevant Waterman, born in Boston, September 18, 1862, died in Roxbury, June 20.

William Butler, born in Boston, March 9, 1846, died in Brookline, July 1.

Laban Pratt, born in Abington, November 4, 1829, died in Dorchester, July 17.

Walter Edwin Smith, born in Chelsea, August 26, 1871, died in Boston, July 28.

Gideon Marion Mansfield, born in Salem, November 10, 1853, died in Augusta, Me., July 31.

Thomas Allen, born in Saint Louis, Mo., October 14, 1849, died in Worcester, August 25.

Arthur Binney, born in Boston, December 2, 1865, died in Kingston, Jamaica, August 28.

John Duff, born in Charlestown, August 28, 1860, died in South Boston, September 19.

Lawrence Park, born in Worcester, December 17, 1873, died in Groton, September 28.

Joseph Horace Clark, born in New York, N. Y., January 8, 1837, died in Boston, September 30.

John Albert Bruen, born in Boston, March 15, 1864, died in Roxbury, October 2.

George Warren Newhall, born in Lynn, February 18, 1840, died in West Newton, October 21.

George Francis Parker, born in Boston, October 23, 1836, died in Winchester, October 26.

Henry Cabot Lodge, born in Boston, May 12, 1850, died in Cambridge, November 9.

Charles Frederick Stodder, born in Boston, August 31, 1859, died in Boston, November 23.

Miss Eliza Otis Brown, born in Boston, August 22, 1844, died in Roxbury, December 8.

Of these, thirty were Life members and sixteen Annual members.

Henry Cabot Lodge, who died in Cambridge on November 9, was distinguished in political and historical matters. He was United States Senator from Massachusetts from 1893 till his death, and President of the Massachusetts Historical Society since 1915. At the funeral service in Christ Church, Cambridge, Vice-President Guild and Mr. Read represented this Society by appointment.

The Bay State Historical League has held four meetings during the year—at Brookline High School, with the Brookline Historical Society on February 16; at the New England Historic Genealogical Society in Boston on April 12 and on June 21 (the annual meeting); and on October 11 at the old Abraham Browne house in Watertown, with the Watertown Historical Society. All these meetings were attended by the President and delegates from this Society.

On Saturday, February 2, your President was the guest of the Directors and other members of the Society at a luncheon at the Harvard Club, on his seventieth birthday. Vice-President Guild presided and twenty-four members were at the table. I wish to place this on our record in appreciation of the kindness and friendship of those who took part in a very enjoyable occasion.

Wednesday, February 6, the day of the funeral of Woodrow Wilson, former President of the United States, the Old State House was closed during the afternoon.

On Sunday, February 17, your President attended the services on the 275th anniversary of the establishment of the

Second Church in Boston, at its meeting-house in Audubon Circle.

On Thursday, March 20, your President and other members were present in Sanders Theatre, Cambridge, at the reception in honor of Charles William Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard College, on his ninetieth birthday—perhaps the most remarkable occasion I ever had the good fortune to attend.

On May 31, the Clerk and Mr. Silsby represented the Society at the commemoration at Fort Warren, Boston Harbor, by the Massachusetts Society, Sons of the American Revolution, of the 150th anniversary of the Closing of the Port of Boston in 1774.

On Monday, October 13, your President attended the exercises in Sherborn at the unveiling of a memorial to the soldiers from Sherborn who had been killed in the wars from King Philip's War to the World War—consisting chiefly of a beautiful bronze statue, "Memory," by Cyrus E. Dallin, and given to the town by William B. H. Dowse. The historical address was by Arthur Lord, Vice President of the Massachusetts Historical Society.

On October 30, Mr. Silsby and Mr. Read were delegates from this Society to the meeting of the Society of Mayflower Descendants at the Old South Meeting House and the unveiling of a bronze tablet at Spring Lane in memory of Mary Chilton.

On Friday, November 21, your President represented the Society as the guest of the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, at its annual dinner at the Algonquin Club.

On November 29, Mr. Read attended a conference of Eastern Historical Librarians at the Rhode Island Historical Society building in Providence. After the meeting, tea was served at the John Carter Brown Library and its great collection of early Americana was inspected.

On December 9, the Arlington Historical Society dedicated its building, the old Jason Russell House, and Mr. Read was present as the delegate from this Society.

The Clerk and other members attended the service on December 21 in commemoration of Forefathers Day at Christ

Church with the Society of Colonial Wars; and on December 28, the service in the same church with the Daughters of Colonial Wars, in memory of Sir William Phipps, first Governor of the Province of Massachusetts Bay, followed by the unveiling of a tablet in his memory in the garden of the church.

At noon on Monday, May 5, trumpeters played from the State Street balcony, at the beginning of the "Boston Music Week"; and on Wednesday, December 24, according to the now established custom, Christmas carols were played by four trumpeters from the band of the First Corps of Cadets.

On Friday, July 4, the Declaration of Independence was read from the balcony by Joseph F. Donoghue of the English High School, by appointment of Mayor Curley.

A new volume of Publications, containing the letters of Lafayette, in the Colburn collection, belonging to this Society, has been published. The letters are printed in full with translations and introduction by our member, Horace H. Morse.

The reports of the Committees which follow are referred to for a full account of the various activities of the Society.

Respectfully submitted for the Directors,

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
President.

Old State House, Boston,
January 20, 1925.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ROOMS

The Committee on the Rooms herewith submits its annual report for the year 1924.

During the year two oil portraits have been added to the Collections.

Artemas Ward of New York, a Life Member, has given an oil portrait of his paternal ancestor Artemas Ward, the first major general of the American Revolution. He gave distinguished service during the war and filled other important positions until almost the close of his life. The portrait is appropriately placed in the Council Chamber, for in 1777 he was President of the Executive Council of Massachusetts.

Mr. Charles H. Taylor of the Board of Directors has given to the Society an oil portrait of John Lilley, a well-known Bostonian, 1792–1864. He was a maker of and dealer in umbrellas at the corner of Cornhill and Court Street for over fifty years. The portrait was painted by Ethan Allen Greenwood of Boston, 1779–1856. He was a well-known portrait painter for many years.

Two more relics of Daniel Webster have been placed in the Collections. One is a silver soup ladle; the other is a desk pad which he used when in the United States Senate.

Several more relics of the Great Boston Fire have been added to the large collection now owned by the Society.

During the past year an ancient beaufet, which was originally in the Clough house on Vernon Place, formerly Charter Street, and which has been in the Collections for many years, has been finely restored by Edwin A. Huebener of Dorchester, who adds sentiment to workmanship in his restorations of antiques. It now occupies a commanding place in the Curtis Guild Room. It is an interesting relic and was called by Rev. Edward G. Porter in his book, Rambles in Old Boston in New England, "that superb beaufet."

During the past year the Society has expended the sum of $672.09 for the maintenance of the Rooms, and $252.74 has been derived from the sale of prints and souvenirs.

Charles H. Taylor,	Henry W. Cunningham,
Courtenay Guild,	Nathaniel T. Kidder,
Joseph G. Minot,	The President and the Clerk, *ex officiis.*

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S COLLECTIONS, 1924

Donors	Descriptions
Alexander, Winthrop	Eleven photographs of dwelling houses in Pemberton Square and vicinity which were taken down to make room for the Suffolk County Court House.
Baker, Ezra H.	A photograph of the Board of Directors of the Tremont National Bank, 1860.

	A collection of photographs of Simpson's Dry Dock in East Boston.
Belden, Charles F. D.	A store key found in the ruins of the Great Boston Fire, November 9, 1872.
Black, Albert O.	A quantity of fragments of crockery and a quantity of black beads, each fused together by the heat of the Great Fire; found in the ruins of a crockery store on Pearl Street.
Clark, Joseph H.	Two Franklin School Medals; one awarded to Elijah Clark in 1805; the other to Humphrey Clark in 1809.
	A specimen of expert penmanship made in a Boston school.
Comstock, William O.	A medal issued in 1901 to commemorate the one hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary of the Evacuation of Boston, March 17, 1776.
de las Casas, William B.	A photograph of the Arlington Street Church made in 1860.
Edes, Mrs. Henry H.	The account book of the Boston Vigilance Committee in 1850, containing the names of subscribers who assisted Southern slaves to escape to the North.
Gridley, Miss Fannie B.	A silver spoon made by Paul Revere.
Jenkins, Philip A.	Two photographs of the Battle of Bunker Hill; from the collection of photographs in the Cyclorama of the Battle of Bunker Hill exhibited in Boston in 1888.
Murray, Michael J.	Three gold plated Boston Common Council Badges issued in 1883, '84 and '85 to George H. F. Murray.
Norcross, Grenville H.	A frontispiece of Music entitled "Hull's Quick Step," 1840.
	A desk blotter used by Daniel Webster when a member of the United States Senate.
	A miscellaneous collection of letters, bills, documents, etc.
Norcross, Joseph E.	A cluster of sauce plates fused by the heat of the Great Boston Fire; found on the site of the new Chamber of Commerce.
Norcross, Mrs. Otis	A silver soup ladle once owned by Daniel Webster.
Root, Miss Sarah B.	A silver plated Boston Common Council Police Badge issued to Ansel Lothrop.
Sohier, William D.	An expense account of the building of the Chelsea Bridge; 1829.

Stedman, Mrs. Ellery	An ink drawing of the Charlestown State Prison; made by a prisoner in 1829.
Taylor, Charles H.	Two oil paintings by A. C. Goodwin: one showing Boylston Street with the Arlington Street Church in the background; the other showing the water front of the city with the Custom House in the background.
	An oil portrait of John Lilley of Boston, 1792–1864; by Ethan Allen Greenwood.
	A woodcut of the Masonic Temple in Boston; made at its dedication on St. John's Day, June 24, 1867; it shows President Andrew Johnson standing in a barouche in the Masonic procession passing the Temple.
	A circular key ring showing the Massachusetts State House.
	A photograph of the house and warehouse of John Morissey, barrel dealer, on Wharf Street.
	A photograph of the Old State House and State Street in 1806; from the original oil painting in the Massachusetts Historical Society.
Thorndike, Albert	Seven stereoscopic views of the ruins of the Great Boston Fire.
Ward, Artemas	Oil portrait of Gen. Artemas Ward of the Revolution, 1727–1800; copied by E. G. Cram from the original by Charles Wilson Peale in Independence Hall, Philadelphia.
Woodest, Arthur W.	A cane made of wood from the Old Court House; demolished in 1911.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY

The Committee on the Library reports as follows for the year 1924, during which time eighty-one volumes and fifty-six pamphlets have been added to the library.

The following books have been purchased from the income of the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund: "Boston Days of William Morris Hunt," by Miss Martha A. S. Shannon; "The Argonauts of '49," by Octavius T. Howe; "Richard Olney and his Public Service," by Henry James; "The British in Boston, the Diary of Lt. John Barker of the King's Own Regiment," by Miss Elizabeth Ellery Dana; "Benjamin Thompson, the First Native-born Poet of America," by Howard Judson Hall.

We have received from their authors "Fifty Years," from Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D.D.; "Amateur Collecting," by George B. Dexter; "Memoir of James R. Carter," by his son Hubert L. Carter and "Rev. Stephen Christopher Lewis, Rector of Christ Church 1778–1784," by Percival Merritt. We have also received a memoir of Gen. Charles H. Taylor, proprietor of the Boston Globe, who was for many years in the forefront of American newspaper publishers. The memoir, which was written by James Morgan, is the gift of General Taylor's son of the same name.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts has given to the Library the Vital Records, to 1850, of Gloucester, and the "Life of Henry F. Durant" has been received from Wellesley College.

The publications of the Massachusetts Historical Society, the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, the New England Historic Genealogical Society, the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities, the Essex Institute, the Boston Public Library and the Brookline and Medford Historical Societies have come to us in accordance with custom, and we have also received ten Boston scrap books from the estate of Mrs. Edwin E. Jack.

The Society has expended during the year 1924 the sum of $36.15 for the maintenance of the library, and at the close of the year the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund amounts to $783.48.

For the Committee,

Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,	Percival Merritt.
Walter K. Watkins,	Henry W. Lamb.
William G. Shillaber,	The Clerk.

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1924.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S LIBRARY, 1924.

Donors	Volumes	Pamphlets
Baker, Ezra H.	3	
Boston City Club		1
Boston Public Library		12
Boston Typographical Union	1	
Burrage, Charles D.		1
Carter, Hubert L.	1	
Coale, George O. G.	1	
Colonial Society of Massachusetts	1	
Dexter, George B.	1	
Essex Institute		5
Goodspeed, Charles E.	15	6
Howland, Gerald S.	1	
Humane Society of Massachusetts		1
Jack, Estate of Mrs. Edwin E.	10	
Lawrence, William	1	
Lynn Historical Society		1
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of		1
Massachusetts General Hospital	1	
Massachusetts, Secretary of State of	5	
Massachusetts Society, S. A. R.	1	
Medford Historical Society		4
Merritt, Percival		1
Minot, Joseph G.		1
Munroe, James F.	1	
New England Historic Genealogical Society		5
New England Society in the City of New York		1
Norcross, Grenville H.	3	5
Purchased	12	1
Saunders, Miss Mary E.	1	
Scituate Historical Society		1
Silsby, T Julien		1
Smithsonian Institution	1	
Society of Colonial Wars in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1	
Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities		4
Souther, Horatio H., Estate of	1	
State Street Trust Co.		1
Taylor, Charles H.	2	1
Thacher, George W.		1
Thorndike, Mrs. Florence	16	
Tuttle, Julius H.		1
Wellesley College	1	
Total	81	56

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

The Committee on Publications offers the following report for the past year.

The frontispiece selected by the Committee for this Annual Proceedings is a water color view of Newspaper Row, Boston, made in 1894 by E. Eldon Deane. It was given to the Society by Charles H. Taylor of the Board of Directors.

The frontispiece of the paper entitled "The Beginnings and Launching of the United States Frigate Constitution" by Col. John S. Barrows is a wood cut engraving by Abel Bowen, the well-known Boston engraver, from a drawing by William Lynn, a Boston rigger.

It was made twenty-one years after the frigate was launched in 1797. This engraving is owned by Charles H. Taylor and is loaned to the Marine Museum.

For the Committee:

John W. Farwell, Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.
Albert Matthews, James M. Hunnewell,
The Clerk.

CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1924.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS

The Committee on Memorials reports for the year 1924.

The Washington Tablet, on which the Committee reported progress last year, has been placed during the year on the second story of the Tremont Street front of the Hemenway Building which is situated at the corner of Tremont and Court Streets. It is of bronze and is inscribed:

GEORGE WASHINGTON
WHEN PRESIDENT OF
THE UNITED STATES
LODGED IN A HOUSE
ON THIS SITE
OCTOBER 24–29, 1789.

PLACED BY THE BOSTONIAN SOCIETY
1924.

For the Committee:

COURTENAY GUILD, CHARLES A. COOLIDGE,
WILLIAM Q. WALES,
CHARLES F. READ,
Clerk.

December 31, 1924.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

The Committee on Finance herewith presents its report for the year 1924.

At the close of the year 1923 the Permanent Fund of the Society amounted to $76,983.32.

The fund has been increased during the present year by the admission fees of thirty-five life members amounting to $1,035.00 and by an increase of $75.50 in the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund.

The Committee has sold bonds of the value of $6,685.62 and has purchased bonds of the value of $5,975.00.

At the close of the present year the Permanent Fund amounts to $78,290.89. Of this amount $74,500.00 is invested in bonds

valued at par; the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund, now amounting to $800.62, is on deposit in the Franklin Savings Bank and an uninvested balance of $2,990.27 is deposited in the New England Trust Co.

For the Committee:

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS, COURTENAY GUILD,
JOHN W. FARWELL,
CHARLES F. READ,
Treasurer.

December 31, 1924.

PERMANENT FUND

The Society has a Permanent Fund, made up from Life Membership Fees, gifts and bequests, well invested, which it is earnestly desired may be increased. The Permanent Fund of the Society includes the following special gifts:

Boston Memorial Association Fund	$1,179 51
Robert C. Billings Memorial	3,000 00
Edward I. Browne Bequest	1,000 00
George O. Carpenter Memorial	1,000 00
Benjamin H. Dewing Bequest	100 00
John W. Farwell Gift	500 00
Curtis Guild Memorial	1,000 00
James F. Hunnewell Memorial	1,000 00
Lucy A. Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Otis Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Catherine P. Perkins Bequest	4,000 00
Caroline F. Sanborn Bequest	2,000 00
Samuel E. Sawyer Bequest	4,610 87
Joseph H. Stickney Bequest	1,000 00
Joseph C. Storey Bequest	2,000 00
William B. Trask Bequest	500 00
James L. Whitney Library Fund	783 48
Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., Bequest	3,000 00

FORM OF BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to the BOSTONIAN SOCIETY, in the City of Boston, the sum of.....dollars for the general use and purpose of the said Society.

Charles F. Read, *Treasurer*, in account with the Bostonian Society

Current Account

Dr.

1924 Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 46 59
Dec. 31	Assessments	2,910 00
	Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,500 00
	Marine Museum	728 01
	Income from Permanent Fund	3,575 00
	Interest	6 86
	Petty Cash and Souvenir Account	252 74
	Gifts from Frank G. Webster and others	182 50
		$9,201 70

Cr.

1924 Dec. 31	Salaries	$5,366 00
	Committee on Rooms; repairs, electric lighting and miscellaneous	799 17
	Committee on Library; clerical work, binding and miscellaneous	36 15
	Committee on Publications; Annual Proceedings, 1924, and miscellaneous	528 39
	Printing	364 60
	Postage	338 85
	Insurance	262 75
	Purchase of Safe	146 00
	Washington Tablet	235 00
	Petty Cash and Souvenir Account	256 74
	Miscellaneous	762 72
	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	90 33
	Balance Petty Cash	15 00
		$9,201 70

Permanent Fund

Dr.

1924 Jan. 1	Balance in the N. E. Trust Co.	$ 1,244 65
Dec. 31	35 Life Membership Fees	1,035.00
	Income of Permanent Fund	3,708 11
	Investments paid	6,685 62
		$12 673 38

Cr.

1924 Dec. 31	Investments made	$5,975 00
	Accrued interest	133 11
	Transferred to Current Account	3,575 00
	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	2,990 27
		$12,673 38

James Lyman Whitney Library Fund

Dr.			Cr.		
1924			1924		
Jan. 1	Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank of which $707.98 was principal and $30.69 was interest	$738 67	Dec. 31	Purchases of books	$47 21
Dec. 31	New England Trust Co., Trustee	75 50		Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank of which $783.48 is principal and $17.14 is interest	800 62
	Interest	33 06			
		$847 83			$847 83

The Permanent Fund of the Society is invested in the following bonds:

Massachusetts 3½ %	$8 000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4%	3 000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4½%	2 000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 6%	1,500 00
American Tel. and Tel. Co. 4%	10,000 00
N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R. 4%	2,000 00
United Electric Securities 5%	5,000 00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	2,000 00
Dominion of Canada 5%	10,000 00
Pennsylvania R. R. 7%	2,000 00
New York Telephone Co. 6%	2,000 00
Western Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	2,000 00
Mass. Gas Co. 4½%	4,000 00
Kansas City Terminal 4%	5,000 00
Missouri Pacific R. R. 4%	5,000 00
Chicago Junc. and U. S. Y. 5%	5,000 00
Adirondack Lt. & Pow. Co. 6%	4,000 00
Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. 5½%	2,000 00
	$74,500 00

The undersigned, of the Committee on Finance of the Bostonian Society, having examined the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1924 and the vouchers therewith presented, hereby certify to the correctness of the same.

They have also examined the securities of the Society and find them correct, according to the Treasurer's statement.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
COURTENAY GUILD,
of the Committee on Finance.

January 19, 1925.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee which was appointed to nominate Officers of the Bostonian Society for the ensuing year begs to report that it has attended to its duty and proposes the following candidates:

For Directors

CHARLES H. TAYLOR,	JOSEPH GRAFTON MINOT,
JOHN W. FARWELL,	HENRY W. CUNNINGHAM,
GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,	FITZ-HENRY SMITH, JR.,
COURTENAY GUILD,	WILLIAM Q. WALES,

NATHANIEL T. KIDDER.

For Clerk and Treasurer

CHARLES F. READ.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

GLENN TILLEY MORSE, *Chairman,*
MARY BAKER STRONG,
FRANCIS R. HART,
AMOS M. LEONARD,
Nominating Committee.

January 14, 1925.

U. S. FRIGATE CONSTITUTION, of 44 GUNS.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee which was appointed to nominate Officers of the Bostonian Society for the ensuing year begs to report that it has attended to its duty and proposes the following candidates:

For Directors

Charles H. Taylor,
John W. Farwell,
Grenville H. Norcross,
Courtenay Guild,
Joseph Grafton Minot,
Henry W. Cunningham,
Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,
William Q. Wales,
Nathaniel T. Kidder.

For Clerk and Treasurer

Charles F. Read.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

Glenn Tilley Morse, *Chairman*,
Mary Baker Strong,
Francis R. Hart,
Amos M. Leonard,
Nominating Committee.

January 14, 1925.

THE BEGINNING AND LAUNCHING OF THE UNITED STATES FRIGATE "CONSTITUTION"

A paper read before the Bostonian Society February 17, 1925

By Col. John S. Barrows

Although the army of the United States had its origin in the War of the Revolution, since which period we have never been without an armed force at our command: the Navy of the nation was a later offspring rather than a development of the fighting ships of the time. During the war for independence, the authorized warships and privateers captured over 800 of the vessels of the British people with a slight loss to the patriot ships, but when the war ended every ship owned by the new nation was sold, so fearful were the people that a monarchy might be established.

Although all protection at sea was removed, there at once sprang up a thrifty commerce with the whole world; the merchant ships pushed out and away to remote ports, till the merchants of Great Britain were disturbed to see their business taken from them by the smart Yankees.

Into the Mediterranean flocked the white-winged argosies of the young republic, and the Barbary pirates swarmed after them. The only relief was through the fleet of Portugal, maintained for the protection of her own commerce, England being tacitly willing that the Barbary pirates should prey on the commerce of America, which was becoming a strong commercial rival. The British Government even went so far as to arrange a truce for a year between the Dey of Algiers and Portugal, which would thereby remove the Portuguese warships from Mediterranean waters, and leave the American ships unprotected, easy victims for the pirates.

At once the shortsightedness of the American Government appeared. It was impossible to declare war on Algiers for there were no ships by means of which it could be carried on. The alternative was to buy protection, by ransoming the captives of the pirates; by building the handsome warship "Crescent," load her with twenty-six barrels of silver dollars,

and all armed and equipped, with other valuable presents aboard, give her to the Dey of Algiers.

Nor was this the end: the protection and ransom of the American sailors in the Mediterranean cost the nation $992,-463.25, a sum which had it been invested in warships would have kept the pirate cruisers off the sea entirely.

It was an expensive lesson which the young nation learned but it was wholesome, and there began to be an awakening of public sentiment in favor of a navy, but Congress was hard to convince. The adversaries in that body argued that the force contemplated was inadequate; that the finances of the nation did not justify expensive fleets; that it was the sacred duty, as well as sound policy, to discharge the public debt; that older and more powerful nations bought the friendship of Algiers and we might do the same or that we might subsidize some of the European powers to protect our commerce. In spite of these objections, a resolution "That a naval force adequate to the protection of the commerce of the United States ought to be provided" was passed, but by a majority of only two votes. The bill was approved March 27, 1794.

The first section of this act authorized the President of the United States to procure by purchase or otherwise equip and employ four ships, to carry 44 guns each, and two ships to carry 36 guns each. The fifth section of the same act authorized: "The President of the United States to procure by purchase or otherwise, in lieu of said ships, a naval force not exceeding in the whole that by this act directed, so that no ship thus provided shall carry less than 32 guns: or it may so provide any portion of them which in his discretion he may think proper."

On April 12, 1794, Secretary of War Knox wrote to Joshua Humphreys, desiring him to prepare models for the frames of the frigates. Mr. Humphreys was a Philadelphia Quaker, but was a famous shipbuilder, having been engaged in the work for thirty years, and during the Revolutionary War had built the frigate "Randolph" and other vessels. He expressed his opinion in regard to the new frigates to Secretary Knox in most convincing arguments; he declared that on account of

the financial condition of the country it would not be possible for the nation for a number of years to come, and probably we should never be able to have so many as foreign nations, therefore it would be wise to have those few ships of a superior order in size, construction, sailing-power and armament, so that they could either fight or get away; and when they did fight, must be a match and more for any ship of the kind afloat.

In order to accomplish this, he said they must be longer and broader than the existing type, and yet not so high out of water. On these lines they would carry as many guns on one deck as the others carried on two, and the improved model would insure greater stability.

Beside these suggestions, Mr. Humphreys advised that the armament of the two larger frigates be twenty-four-pounders. This was a decided innovation, and created no little surprise and opposition, but the arguments all were so sound that the Government adopted them entirely.

It was decided to build three 44-gun ships and three 36-gun ships, the larger to be: the "United States," "President," "Constitution," and the smaller the "Chesapeake," "Congress," and "Constellation."

The "United States" was started first, at Philadelphia in Humphreys' yard, and when President Washington visited the yard and saw the progress on the vessel, he heartily approved of Mr. Humphreys' plans and the policy he had outlined for the nation.

On July 24, 1794, Mr. Humphreys was desired by the War Department to prepare moulds for the other vessels and send them to the different shipyards which were to build the frigates. The plans of the "Constitution" were sent to General Henry Jackson at Boston, where Messrs. Claghorn & Hartley had contracted to build her in Edmund Hart's shipyard at the extreme north end of the peninsular of Boston. There the keel was laid in November, 1794, when the timber which had been cut in the forests of Georgia, South Carolina and Massachusetts was assembled in the yard. Her dimensions had been decided by Mr. Humphreys, assisted by Cap-

tains Truxton, Dale and Barry, all sea fighters who knew what a ship of war ought to be. The dimensions were: length, 175 feet; beam, 43½ feet; depth of hold, 27 feet; draught, 25 feet; her tonnage was 1576.

The timbers of the hull were of southern live-oak, and the planking was bent on without steaming, the builder having an idea that this process was injurious to the wood. The masts were cut in the valley of the Sheepscott River in Maine, in the town of Malta, which is now Windsor, in the winter of 1796 and 1797. In the spring they were towed to Wiscasset where they were yoked together by the government's agents, and towed to Boston.

The copper bolts and fastenings were wrought by Paul Revere; the figurehead of Hercules was carved by the Messrs. Skillings; the sails were made in the "Old Grainery," the only loft large enough for the work; the duck for the sails was woven in Boston; the anchors were forged at "Curtis's" in Pembroke and in Hanover, Mass.; Ephraim Thayer made the gun carriages in his shop at the south end; the cannon in Maryland and Providence and some of the cannon balls at West Hanover; the ensigns, jacks, signal-flags, and pennants were made by Mrs. Betsy Ross of Philadelphia, who made the first United States flag.

The lines of the hull were modeled after the best French practice of that time, and resembled a razeed 74-gun ship of the line; in fact, the English called those American frigates built on this plan "74s in disguise." A peculiarity of the construction was the "tumble-home," an inward curving of the sides above the water line which secured the desired load-line beam, without a corresponding bulk above board, making the vessel a steadier gun platform. The "Constitution's" hull followed the tumble-home features more closely than her sister ships, and this peculiarity may have been the reason for her sailing closer to the wind than ever did the others.

The lines of the "Constitution's" hull above the water were such as to cause wonder at her sailing qualities. The bow is like a pumpkin, and the stern with its galleries and stern-castle looks as clumsy as the bow; but below the water line the

lines were beautifully sharp, clear and keen, cleaving the water like a fish. The pumpkin-lines disappeared immediately and gradually merged into a bottom as clean as that of a swift-sailing fisherman, which made into a run as long and beautiful as could be desired. The sharpness of the floor is a strange contrast to her upper part, and no modern vessels, excepting fishermen and yachts, have anything to compare to it. Considerable ballast was necessary for such a construction, but her sailing qualities were notable.

The armament provided for the "Constitution" consisted of 30 long twenty-four-pounders, for the main battery on the gun deck, and 24 thirty-two-pound carronades for the spar-deck battery, and one eighteen-pounder on the forecastle as a "bow-chaser." These guns bore the monogram "G. R," showing their English origin, and were used through the War of 1812. Owing to inexperience in casting, the balls for the long twenty-fours did not weigh but twenty-two pounds.

When the construction was entirely complete the ship cost the government $302,719.00.

Although the "Constitution" was pierced for 54 guns, her rating was as a 44-gun vessel, and was a single decker, though she carried her battery on two decks. This confusion of statements is explained in this way:

Originally a thirty-eight-gun ship mounted only thirty-eight guns, but the introduction of the carronade (a short gun, without trunnions, moving on a loop on the under side through which a pivot was placed, and having a short range with more of a battering effect, than piercing) which occurred about the time of the building of the "Constitution," caused a new method of counting armament. At this time a ship of war had the quarter-deck and forecastle connected with the main deck by gangways, leaving the waist of the ship open. The carronade being a gun of lesser weight as soon as it became common, it was the habit of putting them in convenient places on the quarter-deck and the forecastle, but they were not counted in the rating, which was still based on the number of long guns. In this way the "Constitution," though nominally a 44-gun ship, really mounted 54 effective guns. This also explains

why she was a single-decked ship, though she had one complete tier of guns and two sections of a partial tier.

The time approached for the preparations for the launching of the frigate. On September 5, 1794, the cable was carried to the shipyard on the shoulders of 293 men from the ropewalk. It was proceeded by Colonel Claghorn, with a fife and drum corps, and three American flags, making quite a pageant.

The day of the launch was set for September 20, and extensive preparations were made for properly observing the event. President Adams and suite were invited, and the day was to be a gala one for Boston.

In the *Centinel* of that time was published this appreciation of the vessel:

"A correspondent who lately took a critical view of the new frigate, was struck, he says, with the analogy between the ship and her name, viz. the 'Constitution.' First, her timbers are of our own growth, sound and excellent, and put together judiciously and faithfully. There is no sawdust and putty crammed in to fill up flaws and cracks and hide imperfect joints: but all is firm, solid, and connected like the oak tree with its branches.

"Secondly, her figure or general outline is, like the Constitution, beautiful: and she carries at her head the figure of Hercules, with his club and lion's skin, and everybody knows that by the allegory of Hercules is meant heroic virtue.

"Thirdly, the most important part of her, as regards the safety of the people and which is immersed in a treacherous element, is covered with copper to secure her against those small but destructive vermin who like our Jacobins, work out of sight, secretly silently and insidiously, in boring holes to let in the destroying element and sink the ship.

"Fourthly, she, like our Constitution, is built for the safety of the people, and their property: and carries the ensigns of our national honor, with the means of defending it.

"Fifthly, like the Constitution she will be conducted by citizens of different ranks and powers, as to command and order, but all conspiring to form a harmonious whole.

"Sixthly, she will be commanded by officers whom we can trust and support.

"Seventhly, she will launch forth into that element which connects the world together, as the Constitution did the political one, amidst the shouts and acclamations of the people whose voice created her. That Heaven may long preserve both the original and the type is the hearty prayer of all—save Jacobins and worms."

With careful forethought for the safety of the public, Colonel Claghorn issued a circular prior to the launching, dated September 18, 1797. It was as follows:

"The constructor having extended to his fellow citizens, all reasonable gratifications of their laudable curiosity, during the progress of the building, believes he may make with propriety the following requests and suggestions, on the operating of the launching of the 'Constitution.'

"That (except the President of the United States, the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and their respective suites, and those specially admitted who will comparatively be very few) no persons will attempt in any way to pass into the Navy Yard.

"The reason of this request is obviously to prevent interruption or intrusion, which might be injurious, or ruinous, to the act of launching, under the most favorable conditions, and indispensably requiring perfect silence, and obedience to orders. Independent of this conclusive reason, the dangers of encroaching spectators, would be imminent, from the occasional and abrupt falling of bodies, used in the construction of the ship, a conformity therefor, to this request is earnestly solicited.

"It is suggested that as the tide would be full, that it would be necessary to the safety of the spectators, especially women and children, that they do not approach in crowds, too near the margin of the contiguous wharves, as the sudden entrance of so large a body as the frigate will occasion an instantaneous swell of the water, the height of which cannot be easily calculated, and against which therefore, discretion of the people ought amply to guard.

"It is regretted, in this instance, that the yard and the place around it are too contracted for the occasion, and will probably excite too much desire, in which all the citizens have so much interest. It is therefore, submitted to those, who can conveniently make arrangements, to place themselves in vessels or water crafts, at due distances, on the profile side of the frigate, but by no means too near, either in a right line or otherwise, as the direction may be uncertain, nor to load the boats too deeply, as the agitation of the water, even at a considerable distance may be somewhat hazardous.

"It is also recommended that those who erect platforms to accommodate spectators, that they have them also secured, in every respect, as the loss of the life of a single citizen would mar the satisfaction and pleasure that the constructor would otherwise enjoy of building and construction for the ocean a powerful agent of national justice, which hope dictates may become the pride and ornament of the American race.

"George Claghorn."

The day for the launching was pleasant though cold People came into Boston from all the adjoining country, and

thronged to the near-by wharves. Many went over to Noddles Island for a better view.

At high tide, just 11:20 A. M., the signal was given to cut away the blocks which held the vessel, but she did not move when it was done. The pressure of screws failed to move her more than 27 feet, and there she stuck, refusing to move another inch. The joy of the day was changed to mourning, and the crowds dispersed. The obstruction was caused chiefly by the settling of the launching ways.

The next day the ship was raised two inches, her bilge-ways were taken out, and apparent defects were remedied.

The *Columbian Centinel* reported the event as follows:

"We were this day in hopes to announce to the public the launch of the frigate 'Constitution.' But after two attempts to set her afloat, she remains in perfect safety on the ways where she was constructed. However mortifying the circumstances may be to the friends of the 'Constitution,' and however ardent their prayers might have been for her safe delivery into her destined element, there cannot be the least imputable blame attached to the constructors, or to any or to either of the gentlemen who were conductors of the operation. Everything that men could do was done. Wisdom and science could not prevail where the inevitable obstructions opposed a superior force.

"Disappointments are not always to be ranked among evils, especially when we find that a disappointment is in the end more beneficial than our first wishes. This sentiment is verified in the state of the frigate. The explanation of the matter will doubtless be gratifying to an anxious public, who seem to contemplate this vessel with a solicitude highly pleasing to the great family of republican America. The fact is this: the constructor found that the ship 'United States,' which was launched at Philadelphia had too great an obliquity of descent in consequence of which she run off her ways full an hour before her constructor intended, which damaged her keel and maimed several people. To prevent these evils, the Boston constructor laid the 'Constitution' too level, and his leveling system or system of equality has produced all the inconvenience and obstructed the punctual performance of the business.

"Another reason is this: part of the ground she stood on was the natural terra firma and a part artificially made ground. This made ground has sunk by the immense weight of the ship, and this sinking occasioned her obstruction yesterday. The constructor could have forced her off, had his pride or ambition exceeded his discretion and patriotism, but he chose to sacrifice his feelings rather than risk the lives of his fellow citizens or the property of the public. And many thanks are due him and Captain Nicholson for their decision.

"To indifferent thinking people the disappointment is a disappointment. The Jacobins will crow and the *Chronicle*, that speaking trumpet of the devil, will echo the tale of disappointment to the uttermost verge of its pestiferous influence.

"To the gentlemen who are conversant with ships, the occurrence is a consolation; they can apply the Dutch proverb, which says: 'Stay a little while that we may get down the sooner.' The ancient Romans concentrated much wisdom in their proverb of '*festine lente*' make haste slowly.

"But what shall we say to the ladies, who are disappointed of the fine sight? First, you must submit to the powers above you, who guide and direct all such weighty matters. A remarkable interposition has regulated every event of importance, which has yet affected this country, and that it will still be the case is presumable in these ships which are the little wheels of an immense machine.

"The Constellation which is an assemblage of the fixed stars, went off in spite of all earthly impediments, because these heavenly bodies are placed where the art of man cannot reach and where human prescience cannot control. The United States runs rapidly on, but with some damage and destruction from adverse parties and opposing materials: but the 'Constitution,' formed with deliberation, coolness and extraordinary forethought, cannot easily be moved. But like the Ark of the Covenant, an emblem of something sacred, she hesitates and seems to say: 'Constructed as I am with skill and consummate judgment, my movements must be the result of cool, calm and deliberate judgment—learn from my inanimate materials this lesson of political wisdom—that no step is so likely to be lasting as that which is pursued with deliberation; and remember, O Americans, that in the course of your history your most violent efforts produced but little, and that your greatest glory arose out of your darkest gloom and apparent disappointments."

The account of the event from the columns of the *Chronicle*, the journal which the *Centinel* styled "that speaking trumpet of the devil," is also interesting, and was as follows:

" 'The Launch.' That was to be. A full account of yesterday's frolick at the Navy Yard, we presume, will be gratifying to all parties as perhaps anything we could publish—we have of course been particular—not wishing, however, to give the least offence to any concerned, we condole with the worthy and ingenious constructor, and sincerely hope he may have the satisfaction of seeing her safely launched into her destined element without further hindrance.

" 'Boston folks are full of notions' is an adage applied to the inhabitants of the metropolis, from time immemorial. But the propriety of the observation has of late been remarkably evident—a stranger must observe it from the various accounts in our newspapers, which constantly excite the public curiosity. Our theatres for a long time were the rendezvous of

wonders—the most astonishing feats of horsemanship, rope dancing, wire dancing and fireworks excited the astonishment of the astonished citizens. After these had in some measure subsided the learned pig and the knowing dog raised a wonderful hue and cry throughout the town and every circle was entertained with the learning and knowledge of these animals. At length the elephant was announced who could drink porter and eat up valuable papers, for which sagacious properties we were charged a half a dollar. These wonderful wonders had scarcely ended before the people were called together to see the President come to town—every house was thronged, every window filled and every street through which he passed was crowded to observe him in his coach, on his way to partake of a sumptuous dinner at Faneuil Hall. In the evening the adulation was renewed when he appeared at the theatre and the play house was full for 'Adams was there'—but strange to say that Bowen's Museum was also full 'although Adams was not there.' The town has continued since this surprising event tolerably quiet and the people have been able to pursue their business with some conveniency (excepting a few, occasional interruptions by an Irishman's sight in the market) till it was announced that the federal frigate was to be launched on a particular day. This interesting occasion at once raised the public attention. Curiosity has been on tiptoe to see the mighty exhibition, and the town has been in one continuous motion towards the federal navy yard. Old men and young men, and babes, have thronged the avenues to this surprising object of federal strength and while beholding this terrific system of national defence have almost wondered at the temerity of France or even Britain.

"The day of launching at length arrived and it was truly North End forever—from the east and the west and from the south they assembled at the north. The globe seemed unpoised as the inhabitants were all on one side. The river was crowded with boats, lying in a most extensive arrangement, strongly manned, and rather more completely womaned. The hills, houses, stores, barns, sheds, necessaries, henhouses, steeples, etc., within the view of the frigate were crowded with multitudes which would puzzle the greatest arithmatician to number. The nearest calculation is, that there were about an hundredth part the number of spectators to see launched, as the ship cost dollars to build. However, this is conjecture, as we cannot come so readily at the calculation of spectators, as to the number of dollars, for the treasury books will ascertain to a single cent, when the head of the department calls for new taxes to pay the charges.

"The naval yard was full 'for the President was there,' with an immense suite, if we include the ladies, who graced the seats in the elevated stages. His Excellency was there, also His Honor, the Reverend Clergy, as proper representatives of the Church militant.

"After the President, his suite and the ladies got well seated in their respective places of destination (the brilliancy of which would have struck the most pre-eminent power in Europe with admiration) the operation of launching the frigate commenced. Block after block fell and the main

supports were quickly leveled to the ground. At length the frigate was left to her own destination. But alas! *she paused!* She reflected on the propriety of entering her 'destined element.' She seemed to hesitate whether it was for the interest of the United States to take her station on the principles she was fabricated.

"During the consultation of the timbers which composed her, a large body of some of those (falsely styled Federalists) applied their strength to the long pull, the strong pull, the pull altogether,' and with the assistance of screws they gave the frigate 'Constitution' a start equal to what the same party gave the federal Constitution in the adoption of the British treaty. She moved with a dignified moderation under this combined pressure about 21 feet, equal to the senators, who adopted the treaty, but collecting herself, she stopped and fixed herself immovable for this day, amid the energies of those determined associates.

"On board the frigate we observed the *Centinel* Major (Russell) who has already anticipated in his paper its full egress into the water but as he observes 'that it will launch forth into that element which connects the world together, as the Constitution did the political one' we are apt to conclude, from the event, that he is an Anti-Federalist: for we would not suppose the Federal Constitution was screwed into the people; that it was impeded in its progress, for want of system in its arrangement; and that, finally, by mere dint of manoeuvring, it was adopted by the citizens.

"The *Centinel* Major, we since learn, has been appointed fighting captain of the frigate. We feel happy in this appointment as the Major by his known courage is so peculiarly qualified for this business."

Colonel Claghorn reported the cause of the failure to launch as follows: "I had formed the incline plane upon the smallest angle that I conceived would convey the ship into the water in order that she might make her plunge with the least violence, and thereby prevent any strain or injury. I must now give the ways more descent, which will remedy the defect occasioned by the settling of the new wharf, and I am fully confident that the next trial at high tide, in October, will be attended with success."

This was after another attempt to get the ship afloat made on September 22, when the vessel was moved 31 feet, and stopped again because the wharf which had been built under her stern for her to pass over, but not to rest on, had settled one and five-eighths inches, and the incline of the ways was not sufficient to overcome that deviation from the incline.

These futile attempts to launch the frigate caused the wiseacres to wag their heads, and call her "an unlucky ship," and

it was even prophesied that the third attempt would prove equally futile.

On Saturday, October 21, the third attempt was decided on. It was a cold and overcast day, the east wind was singing its doleful song, and altogether the auspices were not favorable. A few guests were present at the yard, among them being George Ticknor, Benjamin Russell and his guests, the Duc de Chartres (afterward, Louis Philippe), the Duc de Montpensier, Count de Beaujolais, and Prince Talleyrand. A few dignitaries gathered in the yard, and a small party with ladies were on the deck of the frigate. At 12.30, all being ready, Commodore Nicholson with a bottle of Madeira from the cellar of Hon. Thomas Russell took his stand on the heel of the bowsprit. The signal was given, and as the hull was freed from her bonds, she slid along the ways into the water and rested gracefully in her proper element. As she went in the commodore smashed the bottle of wine on her, baptizing her in the proper fashion, at the same time declaring her named "Constitution."

The *Columbian Centinel* did not neglect to set out the event in proper phrases, as follows:

"The spring tides the latter part of the week giving the workmen in the naval yard an opportunity to complete the ways for launching the frigate 'Constitution,' Colonel Claghorn, anxious to give as early information of the intended operation as possible, directed a gun should be fired, at daylight on Saturday morning last, as a signal that at full sea, he would move her into her destined element. Before noon a very numerous and brilliant collection of citizens assembled at the spectacle, and at fifteen minutes after twelve, at the first stroke at the spur-shores, she commenced a movement into the water with such steadiness, majesty, and exactness, as to fill almost every breast with sensations of joy and delight, superior by far to the mortification before experienced. Such was the regular obliquity of the ways, that she came to anchor within 200 yards of them, without the least strain or meeting or causing the most trifling accident. And she now rides at her moorings in the harbor, a pleasing sight, to those who contemplate her as the germ of a naval force, which in no remote period of time will protect the flag of the United States from the depredations of piratical marauders.

"The best judges have pronounced the 'Constitution' like her archetype, to be a perfect model of elegance, strength and durability. And every individual employed in her construction appears to pride himself in having assisted at the production of the chef-d'oeuvre of naval architecture.

"May the hoary monarch of the element on whose bosom she now reclines protect her with his trident, and whenever her departure into the waste of his realm may be necessary, may propitious breezes waft her to the haven of peace, or aid her to hurl the vindictive thunder of national vengeance on the disturbers of our country's repose, or the depredators on the lawful commerce of our citizens."

The launching was described in Russell's *Boston Commercial Gazette* of Monday, October 23, as follows:

"The launch a magnificent spectacle. On Saturday last, at fifteen minutes before meridian, the frigate 'Constitution' was launched into the adjacent element, on which she now rides, an elegant and superb specimen of American naval architecture, combining the unity of wisdom, strength and beauty.

"The tide being amply full, she descended into the bosom of the ocean with an ease and dignity which, while it afforded the most exalted and heartfelt pleasure and satisfaction to the many thousand spectators, was the guarantee of her safety and pledge that no occurrence should mar the joyous sensations that every one experienced, and which burst forth in reiterated shouts which rent the welkin.

"On a signal being given from on board, her ordnance, on shore, announced to the neighboring country that the Constitution was secure.

"Too much praise cannot be given to Colonel Claghorn for the coolness and regularity displayed in the whole business of the launch, and the universal congratulations he received were evidences of the public testimony of his skill, intelligence and circumspection."

The *Chronicle* of the day described the launching briefly but in a poetic vein as follows:

"On Saturday last the citizens again assembled at the navy yard to view the launch of the frigate 'Constitution.' Amid a crowd of spectators she moved with a most graceful dignity into the embraces of the surrounding waters: the radical amendments in the ways gave her an easy descent and this child of the ocean was safely delivered in the cradle, to the protection of Neptune to be suckled at the breast of 'fair Bellona.' With gentle motions and a modest decency she soon disencumbered herself of her swaddling clothes, and seemed to smile with a pleasing complacency on the brilliant assembly who attended the ceremony of her nativity.

"On the two former occasions she resolutely maintained her position—while exposed to the rude attacks of tackles and screws, but when she found herself under the particular care and management of her constructor and his chosen associates, she cheerfully resigned herself to her destined element."

Commodore Samuel Nicholson, who had been prominent in connection with the construction of the frigate, was assigned

to be her first commander, and though noted for that fact, is one of the least-known of her many commanders. He had served under John Paul Jones in the "Bon Homme Richard," and helped to fight her against the "Serapis." During the later years of the Revolutionary War, he was a successful commander. He died in 1813 at Charlestown, the head of the naval list.

The story is told that as first commander of the new frigate, he claimed the right to raise the flag over her the first time, but he announced that he would do so after dinner, and went away. During his absence two workmen, Bently and Harris, stole aboard the frigate and set the colors. Captain Nicholson was properly indignant, but the colors once up, he would not have them lowered, and accepted the situation with the best possible grace.

The first time the new frigate was tried under sail was July 20, 1798, and on August 13, 1798, started on her first cruise.

Since that day the "Constitution" has passed through more varied experiences than ordinarily the lot of a warship; successfully bearing the flag of her country to defend which she was built, through three engagements on the seas with vessels of the enemy, and never losing the day; facing the hostile guns at Tripoli; carrying the name and honor of the young republic into all seas flecked with the commerce of the nation; having been repaired, rebuilt and restored several times; serving as the training ship for future admirals; snatched by loyal men of Massachusetts from the torch of the traitor; in spite of her hindered launching she always has been a lucky ship. After all this splendid career she has outlived her usefulness and is laid up as a relic; a gravestone for a supremacy of the seas which this nation once held. Again she waits a slow-moving government to repair her so that she will not sink at the pier to which she is moored.

Is this to be the end of this glorious ship? I believe not. Her mission is not yet concluded. The proposed rehabilitation should leave her in a more complete and seaworthy condition than ever before. Not only should she be made as

sound as ship carpenters can make a vessel, but so far as possible every detail of her best days should be replaced. The present armament of imperfect "quaker" guns should be replaced by real cannon, capable of withstanding normal ammunition, and every relic of her past grandeur should be placed aboard of her that she may be a perpetual inspiration to better deeds in the navy and merchant marine. The "Constitution" should be restored if it cost the national Government a million dollars; and when in the years to come, another restoration should be necessary as in the past, it should be made willingly; that so long as the American people shall revere the holy names and places which are associated with the progress of this nation, the "Constitution" should always be found among them.

On Commercial Street, in this city, is a huge warehouse bearing on its front wall a tablet with this inscription:

"Here was built the Frigate 'Constitution,' Old Ironsides." It is well that tablet is there, and further recognition is to be made, but it will be infinitely better that the frigate herself be accorded recognition proportionate to that given to her birthplace. This must be done.

Beginning here, at this meeting of this notable organization, the slogan should be raised, "The 'Constitution,' it must be restored!" and that slogan should be sounded at all your meetings; at the meetings of all similar bodies, and sent across the continent to every city, town and hamlet where flows the blood inherited from the brave men who sailed and fought that frigate; until the deed be accomplished.

England prizes among the few remaining wooden-walls, the "Victory," sacred to the memory of Nelson and Trafalgar; but the "Victory" never accomplished so much for her nation as has the "Constitution" for this nation. England reveres and worships the "Victory." Can Americans do less for the "Constitution"?

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Stuart, Frederick William
Sturgis, Richard Clipston
Swan, George Arthur
Sweet, Henry Nettleton
Sylvester, Joseph Smith
Talbot, Dudley
Tapley, Henry Fuller
Temple, Thomas French
Thomas, Mrs. Nellie Roberta
Thompson, Marshall Putnam
Thorndike, Mrs. Florence
Thorp, Joseph Gilbert
Throckmorton, John Wakefield Francis
Tilton, George Prescott
Titus, Raymond Stanton
Toppan, Roland Worthington
Troup, Charles Alexander Stewart
Tuttle, Charles Henry
Tuttle, Julius Herbert
Underwood, William Lyman
Vose, Robert Churchill
Wadlin, Horace Greeley
Wainwright, Robert
Wait, William Cushing
Walker, John Ballantyne

Ward, George Bradley
Ward, John
Ward, Michael Francis
Warner, Clarance Mackdonald
Warren, Bentley Wirt
Warren, George Copp
Warren, Herbert Marshall
Warren, Samuel Dennis
Warshauer, Sidney Milton
Washburn, George Hamlin
Waterman, Frederick Noble
Watson, Edward Hord
Watson, Frank Leroy
Watson, Lester
Webster, Eugene Carroll
Weeks, Warren Bailey Potter
Wellington, Alfred Easton
Wellington, Arthur Wellesley
West, William Janvrin
Wetherald, James Taylor
Wetherbee, Frederic Adolphus
Wetherell, Charles Bradlee
Wharton, Mrs. Susan Carberry
Wheatland, Richard
Wheeler, Frederick Lewis
Wheeler, George Henry
Wheeler, Miss Helen
Wheeler, Henry
Wheeler, Herbert Rogers
Wheelwright, William Bond
White, Miss Gertrude Richardson
Whitney, Nelson
Whitney, Richard Skinner
Whittemore, Arby Clifford
Whitwell, Frederick Silsbee
Wiggin, Charles Edward
Wiles, Thomas Linwood
Wilkinson, Alvin Thomas
Williams, David Weld
Williams, Hugh
Williams, William Cowles
Wilson, Charles Hiram
Wiltshire, William Frederick
Winship, Addison Leslie
Winship, Albert Edward
Witherbee, Frank Bernard
Wolf, Bernard Mark
Wolkins, George Gregerson
Wood, Arthur Goodwin
Wood, Irving
Woodbridge, George
Woodside, Charles Lemuel
Woodward, Charles Francis
Woodworth, Elijah Burghardt
Wright, George Sumner
Wyman, Henry Augustus
Young, Benjamin Loring
Young, Harry Hayward
Young, Philip
Young, William Hill

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Be it known that whereas THOMAS C. AMORY, CURTIS GUILD, JOHN WARD DEAN, DORUS CLARKE, SAMUEL M. QUINCY, WILLIAM S. APPLETON, THOMAS MINNS, HENRY F. JENKS, JOHN T. HASSAM, and DUDLEY R. CHILD, have associated themselves with the intention of forming a corporation under the name of

The Bostonian Society

for the purpose of promoting the study of the history of Boston, and the preservation of its antiquities, and have complied with the provisions of the Statutes of this Commonwealth in such case made and provided, as appears from the certificate of the President, Treasurer and Directors of said corporation, duly approved by the Commissioner of Corporations and recorded in this office;

Now, Therefore, I, Henry B. Peirce, Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, **do hereby certify** that said THOMAS C. AMORY, CURTIS GUILD, JOHN WARD DEAN, DORUS CLARKE, SAMUEL M. QUINCY, WILLIAM S. APPLETON, THOMAS MINNS, HENRY F. JENKS, JOHN T. HASSAM and DUDLEY R. CHILD, their associates and successors, are legally organized and established as and are hereby made an existing corporation under the name of

The Bostonian Society

with the powers, rights and privileges and subject to the limitations, duties and restrictions, which by law, appertain thereto.

Witness my official signature hereunto subscribed and the seal of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts hereunto affixed, this second day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

[Signed]

HENRY B. PEIRCE,

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

THE BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

ORGANIZED TO PROMOTE THE STUDY OF THE HISTORY OF BOSTON AND THE PRESERVATION OF ITS ANTIQUITIES

BY-LAWS

Note.—Hereafter these will not be printed in each annual number of the Proceedings, but will be printed again in 1930 and each 5-year period thereafter.

I

OBJECTS

It shall be the duty of members, so far as may be in their power, to carry out the objects of the Society, by collecting, by gift, loan or purchase, books, manuscripts, and pictures, and by such other suitable means as may from time to time seem expedient.

II

MEMBERS

The members of the Bostonian Society shall be such persons, either resident or non-resident in Boston, as shall be elected to membership. Election shall be made by ballot by the Board of Directors at any regular or special meeting.

III

HONORARY MEMBERS

Honorary Members shall be nominated by the Directors, and shall be elected by ballot by two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may take part in the meetings of the Society, but shall not be entitled to vote.

IV

ADMISSION FEE AND ASSESSMENTS

Each member shall pay five dollars at the time of his or her admission, and five dollars each first day of January afterwards, into the treasury of the Society for its general purposes; provided, however, that no person joining the Society on or after the first day of October in any year shall be required to pay an additional assessment for the year commencing on the first day of January following.

If any member shall neglect to pay his or her admission fee or annual assessment, for three months after the same is due, he or she shall be liable

to forfeit his or her membership at any time when the Directors shall so order.

The payment of the sum of thirty dollars in any one year by any member of the Society shall constitute him or her a life member of the Society; life members shall be free from assessments, and entitled to all the rights and privileges of annual members. The money received for such life membership shall constitute a fund, of which not more than twenty per cent., together with the annual income, shall be spent in any one year.

V

CERTIFICATES

Certificates, signed by the President and the Clerk, shall be issued, on application, to all persons who become life members of the Society.

VI

MEETINGS

The annual meeting of the Society shall be held on the third Tuesday in January, and regular meetings shall be held on the third Tuesday of every month, excepting June, July, August and September, at such time and place as the Directors shall appoint. Special meetings shall be called by the Clerk, under the instruction of the Directors.

At all meetings ten members shall be a quorum for business. All Committees shall be appointed by the Chair, unless otherwise ordered.

Any business which has not been acted on by the Directors shall be referred to them without debate, at the request of any member present.

VII

OFFICERS

The Officers of the Society shall consist of a President, Vice-President and seven other Directors, a Clerk and a Treasurer.

The Directors, Clerk and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot at the annual meeting in January, and shall hold office for one year, and until others are duly elected in their stead. The President and Vice-President shall be elected by the Board of Directors from their number. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be held by the same person.

VIII

VACANCIES

Any vacancies in the offices of the Society may be filled for the remainder of their term by the Board of Directors, at any regular meeting, to serve until the next annual meeting of the Society. In the absence of the Clerk at any meeting, a Clerk *pro tempore* shall be chosen for that meeting.

IX

NOMINATING COMMITTEE

At the monthly meeting in December, a Nominating Committee of five persons shall be appointed, who shall report at the annual meeting a list of candidates for the places to be filled.

X

PRESIDING OFFICER

The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, shall preside at all meetings. In the absence of both, a President *pro tempore* shall be chosen from the Board of Directors.

XI

DUTIES OF THE CLERK

The Clerk shall be sworn to the faithful discharge of his duties.

He shall notify all meetings of the Society. He shall keep an exact record of all the proceedings of the meetings of the Society, and of its Directors.

He shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society, and place on file all letters received.

He shall enter the names of members systematically in books kept for the purpose, and issue certificates of life membership.

The Clerk shall have such charge of all property in the possession of the Society as may from time to time be delegated to him by the Board of Directors.

He shall acknowledge each loan or gift that may be made to and accepted in behalf of the Society.

XII

DUTIES OF THE TREASURER

The Treasurer shall collect all moneys due to the Society, and pay all bills against the Society, when approved by the Board of Directors.

He shall keep a full account of the receipts and expenditures in a book belonging to the Society, which shall always be open to the inspection of the Directors; and at the annual meeting in January he shall make a written report of all his doings for the year preceding.

The Treasurer shall give bond in the sum of one hundred dollars, with one surety, for the faithful discharge of his duties.

XIII

DUTIES AND POWERS OF DIRECTORS

The Directors shall superintend and conduct the prudential and executive business of the Society; shall authorize all expenditures of money;

fix all salaries; provide a common seal; receive and act upon all resignations and forfeitures of membership, and see that the By-Laws are duly complied with.

The Directors shall have full power to comply with the terms of the lease of the rooms in the Old State House, made with the City of Boston, and to make all necessary rules and regulations required in the premises.

They shall annually, in the month of April, make careful comparison of the articles in the possession of the Society with the list to be returned to the City of Boston under the terms of the lease, and certify to its correctness.

They shall make a report of their doings at the annual meeting of the Society.

The Directors may, from time to time, appoint such sub-committees as they deem expedient.

XIV

MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS

Regular meetings of the Directors shall be held monthly, previous to the regular meetings of the Society.

Special meetings of the Directors shall be held in such manner as they may appoint; and a majority shall constitute a quorum for business.

XV

FINANCE COMMITTEE

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint two Directors, who with the President, shall constitute the Committee of Finance, to examine from time to time, the books and accounts of the Treasurer; to audit his accounts at the close of the year, and to report upon the expediency of proposed expenditures of money.

XVI

STANDING COMMITTEES

The President shall annually, in the month of January, appoint six standing committees (of which the Clerk of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*), as follows:—

Committee on the Rooms

A committee of seven members, to be called the Committee on the Rooms, of which the President of the Society shall be a member *ex officio*, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Rooms (except books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans); the hanging of pictures, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Papers

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Papers, who shall have charge of the subject of Papers to be read, or other exercises of a like nature, at the monthly meetings of the Society.

Committee on Membership

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on Membership, whose duty it shall be to give information in relation to the purposes of the Society, and increase its membership.

Committee on the Library

A committee of five or more members, to be called the Committee on the Library, who shall have charge of all the arrangements of the Library, including the acceptance or rejection, of all books, manuscripts, and other objects appropriate to the Library, offered as gifts or loans, and the general arrangement of the Society's collections in their department.

Committee on Publications

A committee of four or more members, to be called the Committee on Publications, who shall have charge of all the Publications of the Society.

Committee on Memorials

A committee of three or more members, to be called the Committee on Memorials, who shall have charge of such Memorials as the Society may vote to erect.

These six committees shall perform the duties above set forth, under the general supervision of the Directors.

Vacancies which may occur in any of these committees during their term of service shall be filled by the President.

XVII

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS

Amendments to the By-Laws may be made at any annual meeting by vote of two-thirds of the members present and voting. They may also be made by the like vote at any regular meeting, provided notice of the same be contained in a call for such meeting issued by the Clerk, and sent to every member.

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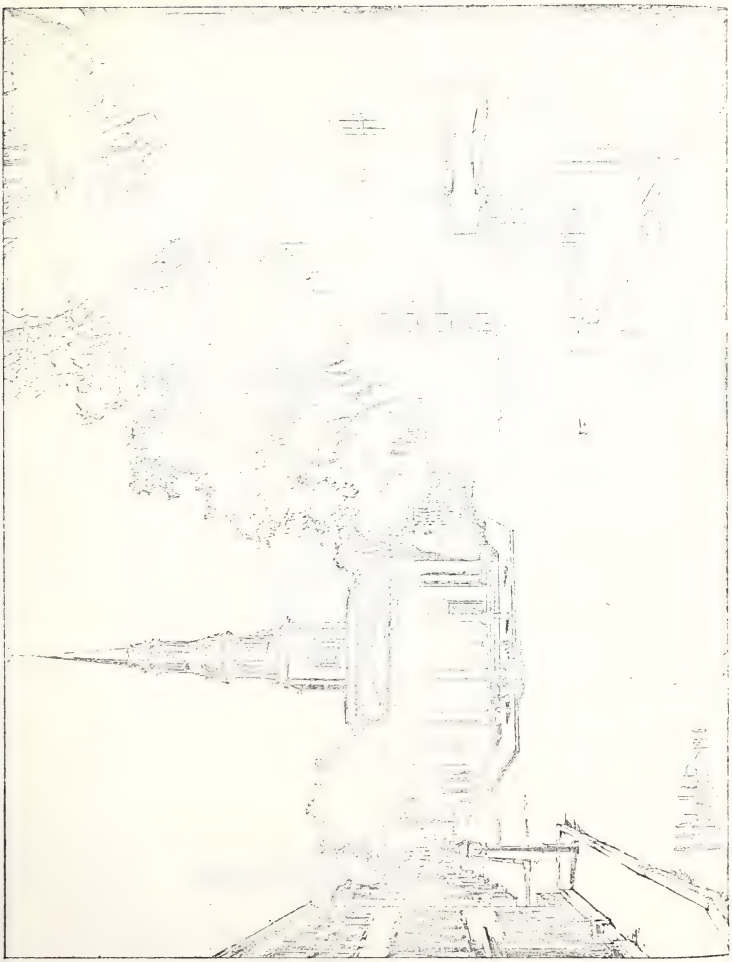

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The Clerk

BOSTONIAN SOCIETY

FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING

THE Forty-fifth Annual Meeting of the Bostonian Society was held in the Council Chamber of the Old State House, Boston, on Tuesday, January 19, 1926, at 3 P. M., in accordance with a notice mailed to every member. The President, Grenville H. Norcross, occupied the chair.

The records of the last monthly meeting were read and approved, and the following Reports were presented:

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS

To the Members of the Bostonian Society:

Your Directors have the honor of presenting their Annual Report for the past year:

MEMBERSHIP

At the close of the year there were in the Society:

Honorary Members	2
Life Members	777
Annual Members	605
Making a total of	1,384

A comparison of this record with that of one year ago shows that the Society has gained thirty members.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

The Annual Meeting and seven Monthly Meetings of the Society have been held during the past year; at these meetings the following papers have been read before the Society:

January 20: Annual Meeting. Annual Reports of the President, the Treasurer and the various Committees. Also, "The Massachusetts Provincial Congress of 1774"; by T Julien Silsby, a member; read in his absence by the Clerk.

February 17: "The Beginnings and Launch of the U. S. Frigate *Constitution*"; by Col. John S. Barrows.

March 17: "The Evacuation of Boston, March 17, 1776"; by Capt. Thomas G. Frothingham.

April 21: "The Story of April 19, 1775, at Lexington and Concord; Paul Revere's Ride; The British March and Retreat"; written by Edward W. McGlenen, City Registrar of Boston, a member; with lantern slides; read by the Clerk.

May 26: "Boston Harbor, past and present; compared with other early landing places along the Atlantic Coast"; with lantern slides; by Dr. Alfred Johnson, a member.

October 20: "William Blaxton, the First Settler of Boston"; by Rev. Wilson Waters of Chelmsford.

November 17: "England and America During the Civil War and the Influence of Two Eminent Bostonians"; by Sherwin L. Cook.

December 15: "The Boston Tea Party and Its Last Survivor"; with lantern slides; by Walter Kendall Watkins, a member.

NECROLOGY

During the past year, we have learned of the deaths of the following fifty-two members of the Society:

Edward Selmar Goulston, born in Boston, September 4, 1868, died in Boston, January 9.

Mrs. Mary Pratt Nash, born in Boston, August 31, 1831, died in Boston, January 12.

Stillman Pierce Williams, born in Dorchester, May 27, 1874, died in Winchester, January 18.

Miss Helen Frances Kimball, born in Roxbury, May 30, 1836, died in Brookline, January 21.

Charles Pfaff, born in Boston, October 11, 1859, died in Nice, France, January 23.

Howard Livingstone Shurtleff, born in Boston, February 19, 1860, died in Boston, January 26.

William Copley Winslow, born in Boston, January 13, 1840, died in Boston, February 2.

William Green Shillaber, born in Boston, March 13, 1851, died in Boston, February 5.

Thomas William Lawson, born in Charlestown, February 26, 1857, died in Boston, February 8.

Adam Herbert Dickey, born in Toronto, Ont., June 26, 1864, died in Brookline, February 8.

Frederick Baylies Allen, born in Boston, November 5, 1840, died in Boston, February 19.

Francis Marshall Edwards, born in Boston, April 3, 1855, died in Dorchester, February 21.

Charles Edward Osgood, born in Boston, May 21, 1855, died in Jamaica Plain, February 23.

Mrs. Susannah Ruggles Norcross, born in Boston, July 20, 1851, died in Boston, March 5.

Edmund Dana Barbour, born in Boston, August 11, 1841, died in Boston, March 5.

Artemas Ward, born in New York, N. Y., May 20, 1848, died in New York, N. Y. March 5.

William Conant Brewer, born in Boston, May 28, 1866, died in Newton Centre, March 16.

John Anthony Remick, born in Newburyport, September 18, 1834, died in Boston, March 25.

Mrs. Ruth Adelaide Beech, born in Boston, April 2, 1841, died in Boston, March 28.

Hugh Johnston Stockford, born in Saint John, N. B., November 21, 1843, died in Hyde Park, March 28.

Arthur Little, born in Boston, November 29, 1852, died in Boston, March 28.

Zachary Taylor Hollingsworth, born in Milton, July 26, 1848, died in Boston, April 1.

Charles Lawrence Cooney, born in Boston, September 5, 1856, died in Boston, April 6.

Edward Denham, born in New Bedford, October 30, 1849, died in New Bedford, April 16.

Miss Abby Frances Manning, born in Boston, 1845, died in Boston, April 20.

George Marshall Preston, born in Boston, January 31, 1851, died in Boston, April 22.

Mrs. Anna Tucker Phillips, born in Boston, January 15, 1849, died in North Beverly, April 24.

Mrs. Martha Augusta Willcomb, born in Boston, October 26, 1844, died in Boston, May 8.

James Bowdoin Bradlee Smith, born in Boston, April 7, 1872, died in East Weymouth, May 8.

Louis Arthur Coolidge, born in Natick, October 8, 1861, died in Milton, May 31.

Irving Wood, born in Canterbury, Conn., September 10, 1844, died in Boston, June 21.

William Richards Sears, born in Boston, October 8, 1869, died in Cohasset, June 22.

Fred Louis Carter, born in Boston, October 30, 1849, died in Los Angeles, Cal., June 23.

Mrs. Mabel Fairchild Wheaton Barney, born in Syracuse, N. Y., April 21, 1855, died in Boston, July 14.

George Burroughs, born in Boston, May 28, 1869, died in Boston, July 23.

Addison Leslie Winship, born in Sharon, October 3, 1864, died in Melrose, July 31.

Amos Morse Leonard, born in Stoughton, October 18, 1846, died in Newton, August 10.

William Rotch, born in New Bedford, July 22, 1844, died in New Bedford, August 14.

Francis Lee Higginson, born in Boston, October 11, 1841, died in Beverly, August 19.

Arthur Tisdale Bradlee, born in Boston, December 23, 1867, died in Prouts Neck, Me., August 31.

John Edward Pushee, born in Lansingburgh, N. Y., died in Brookline, September 1.

Ellis Loring Dresel, born in Boston, November 28, 1865, died in Beverly, September 19.

Chester Stillman Stoddard, born in Boston, March 6, 1844, died in Brookline, October 26.

Horace Greeley Wadlin, born in South Reading, October 2, 1851, died in Reading, November 5.

Joseph Randolph Coolidge, born in Boston, December 29, 1828, died in Boston, November 10.

Mrs. Frances Spofford Russell, born in Bradford, January 22, 1842, died in Boston, November 10.

Samuel Parker Bremer, born in Brooklyn, N. Y., November 14, 1872, died at sea, November 26.

Mrs. Emily Marshall Morison, born in Hartford, Conn., February 14, 1856, died in Boston, December 1.

William Henry Lincoln, born in Boston, June 13, 1835, died in Brookline, December 2.

Charles Lemuel Crehore, born in Boston, February 6, 1867, died in Jamaica Plain, December 13.

William McKissock, born in Boston, August 28, 1850, died in Chestnut Hill, December 28.

Alden Augustus Thorndike, born in Braintree, October 19, 1862, died in Boston, December 30.

Of these, thirty-one were Life members and twenty-one were Annual members.

William Rotch was the Governor of the Massachusetts Society of Colonial Wars and had been one of our delegates to the Bay State Historical League for several years. Mr. Comstock represented this Society at the funeral, in New Bedford, and on October 22, the President and Clerk attended and spoke at the meeting of the Massachusetts Society of Colonial Wars, held at Boston, in memory of Mr. Rotch.

William Green Shillaber had been a member of the Committee on the Library for several years. The President and Clerk attended the funeral on February 9, at Arlington Street Church, as representatives of this Society.

Artemas Ward was the great-grandson of General Artemas Ward, Commander-in-Chief of the American Forces in the Revolution until General Washington took command. He gave this Society a portrait of General Ward a few years ago.

William Henry Lincoln was a Director of the Society from 1899 to 1903.

John Anthony Remick was one of our oldest members, and a constant visitor at the Old State House.

Horace Greeley Wadlin was formerly the librarian of the Boston Public Library.

Arthur Lord, President of the Massachusetts Historical Society, of the Pilgrim Society in Plymouth, and of the Bunker Hill Monument Association, died on April 10, in Boston. He was a well-known speaker and writer on historical matters, and had been especially prominent during the tercentennial celebration at Plymouth by his notable addresses upon receiving the numerous tablets and other gifts to Plymouth and the Pilgrim Society at that time. Your President and other members of this Society attended the funeral at Plymouth on April 13.

The Bay State Historical League has held four meetings during the year, at which this Society was represented by the President or delegates, and other members: On January 24, in Boston, with the New England Historic Genealogical Society; on April 25, with the Arlington Historical Society; on June 27 (the annual meeting), with the Topsfield Historical Society at the Parson Capen House; and on October 17, with the Rumford Historical Society at the birthplace of Count Rumford, in North Woburn.

On Washington's Birthday, February 22, the Clerk and other members attended the Governor's Reception at the State House, and later, with the President, went to the meeting and dinner of the Massachusetts Society of Sons of the American Revolution, in Wilder Hall, Boston.

Thursday evening, February 26, your President, with Mr. Read and Mr. Silsby, attended the reception given by President Benjamin B. Johnson and his wife at the Lynn Historical Society.

On Patriots' Day, April 19, the Clerk represented the Society at the celebration of the 150th anniversary of the battles of Lexington and Concord by the City of Boston in Faneuil Hall, and later, the commemorative service at Christ Church, on

Salem Street; and on June 19 he was present at the Lexington Pageant, given by the town of Lexington.

On Thursday, May 14, the President, with other members, attended the exercises at the State House on the presentation to the Commonwealth of a portrait of Sir Henry Vane by his descendant, Lord Barnard, and the Society of Colonial Wars.

On the afternoon of June 16, the President, with Messrs. Read, Silsby, and Dr. Green, assisted at the placing of wreaths at Bunker Hill in memory of Prescott, Putnam, Warren, and Lafayette, by Captain Thomas G. Frothingham, on behalf of the Bunker Hill Monument Association; and on June 17 the Clerk, Mr. Read, represented the Society at the commemorative services by the Bunker Hill Monument Association in Faneuil Hall, and the luncheon given at the Club of Odd Volumes to Honorable Charles E. Hughes, the orator of the day. On November 21, Mr. Read attended, for the Society, the Conference of Eastern Historical Librarians at the Essex Institute in Salem.

The Declaration of Independence was read, as usual, from the balcony of the Old State House on July 4 by David C. Sachs of the Public Latin School; and at noon on the day before Christmas, Christmas carols were played from the balcony by four trumpeters from the band of the First Corps of Cadets.

During the year, the Permanent Fund has been increased by gifts of $1,000 each from Messrs. John W. Farwell, Courtenay Guild, and Grenville H. Norcross.

The reports of the various committees, which follow, are referred to for a more detailed statement of the year's activities.

Respectfully submitted for the Directors,

GRENVILLE N. NORCROSS,
President.

Old State House, Boston, Mass.,
January 19, 1926.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ROOMS

The Committee on the Rooms reports as follows for the year 1925.

An oil portrait of Charles Summer, United States Senator from Massachusetts from 1851 until his death in 1874, has been given to the Society and has been placed in the Council Chamber. It was painted by Edgar Parker and was included in the large and miscellaneous collection received from Mrs. Charles W. Parker and her children.

Charles H. Taylor, of the Board of Directors, has given to the Collections a water color view of Boston, which was painted by the artist Edwin L. Weeks.

Artemas Ward, a member, has given to the Society the gavel which his great grandfather General Artemas Ward of Revolutionary fame used when he was Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1785.

The other additions to the Collections are described in detail in the list which follows this report.

The Society has expended during the past year for the maintenance of the rooms the sum of $720.85 and there has been derived from the sale of prints and souvenirs the sum of $265.02.

Charles H. Taylor,	Henry W. Cunningham,
Courtenay Guild,	Nathaniel T. Kidder,
Joseph G. Minot,	The President and the Clerk, *ex-officiis*.

December 31, 1925.

ADDITIONS TO THE SOCIETY'S COLLECTIONS, 1925

Donors	Descriptions
Boardman, Miss Elisabeth D.	A Boston Common Council police badge issued to Benjamin G. Boardman.
Brigham, William D.	A photograph of the Second Church in Dorchester.
Buckley, Wilfred	A lithograph entitled "Boston as seen from East Boston in 1848"; from the original drawing by Edwin Whitefield.
Farwell, John W.	A photogravure entitled "A North-east View of the Great Town of Boston," etc.; from the original print, made between 1723 and 1729, in the possession of the Essex Institute. A lithograph of Colounade Row.
Hastings, Clifford B.	Lithograph portraits of Lowell Mason and Patrick S. Gilmore.
Marrs, Mrs. Kingswill and Norcross, Grenville H.	A silver salver given to Hon. Otis Norcross by Hon. David Sears in 1870 in recognition of his services as treasurer of the Fifty Associates Charities and the Searston Charter House Funds.
Parker, Mrs. Charles W. and her children	A large number of oil paintings, engravings, prints and photographs which formed the private collection of Charles W. Parker, a member of the Society for many years.
Parks, Mrs. Dana	A Boston school medal awarded to Annie T. Oliver in 1864.
Purchased	Thirty nine music sheets with lithograph frontispieces showing views of Boston.
Stearns, William B.	The badge of John Cummings as a member of the Board of Finance of the Centennial Exposition, Philadelphia, 1876.
Swan, Mrs. Laura P., estate of	A daguerreotype and silhouette of Henry Purkitt of Boston.
Taylor, Charles H.	A collection of air photographs of Boston.
	A water color painting of Boston, about 1875; by E. L. Weeks.
Thayer, Frank B.	Three Boston Common Council badges issued to the donor in 1886, 1887 and 1888.
Ward, Artemas	A wooden gavel used by General Artemas Ward, great grandfather of the donor, when he was Speaker of the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1785.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE LIBRARY

The Committee on the Library herewith reports for the year 1925, during which time thirty-one volumes and fifty-two pamphlets have been placed on its shelves.

Several books have been purchased from the income of the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund, the following being of a biographical character: "Edward Everett, Orator and Statesman," by Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham, D.D.; "Henry Cabot Lodge," by Rt. Rev. William Lawrence, D.D.; "Increase Mather, the Foremost American Puritan," by Kenneth Ballard Murdock; "William Austin, Creator of Peter Rugg," by Walter Austin; and "Charles Bulfinch, Architect and Citizen," by Rev. Charles A. Place. Two others are "Beacon Hill; Its Ancient Pastures and Early Mansions," by Allen Chamberlin, and "America's Greatest Garden" (the Arnold Arboretum), by Ernest H. Wilson.

Hosea Starr Ballou, a member, has given a copy of his biography of his grandfather entitled "Hosea Ballou, 2d., D.D., First President of Tufts College."

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts has given to the Society the Vital Records of Rockport, to 1850 and the "Journals of the House of Representatives of Massachusetts, 1726–1727," published at the charge of the Dowse Fund.

We have received the serial publications of the Massachusetts Historical Society, the Colonial Society of Massachusetts, the New England Historic-Genealogical Society, the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities, the Essex Institute, the Boston Public Library, and the Brookline and Medford Historical Societies.

The Society has expended the sum of $63.85 for the care and maintenance of the Library during the past year. At the close of the year the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund amounted to $861.45.

Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,	Henry W. Lamb,
Walter K. Watkins,	Henry F. Tapley,
Percival Merritt,	The Clerk.

December 31, 1925.

Additions to the Society's Library, 1925

Donors	Volumes	Pamphlets
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Co.		2
Ballou, Hosea Starr	1	
Boston, City of	1	
Boston Public Library		12
Cloues, Rev. William J.		2
Colonial Society of Massachusetts	1	
Cook, Sherwin L.		1
Corbett, Alexander	4	
Detroit Public Library		3
Essex Institute		5
Farlow, John W., M.D.		1
Johnson, Alfred, Litt.D.		1
Lord, Mrs. Susan B.	1	
Massachusetts Historical Society	1	
Massachusetts, Secretary of State of	3	
Medford Historical Society		4
Merritt, Percival		2
Minot, Joseph G.		1
National Society, S. A. R.		4
New England Historic Genealogical Society		5
New England Society in the City of New York		1
Norcross, Grenville H.	4	
Parker, Mrs. Charles W. and family	6	
Providence Public Library		1
Purchased	7	
Smithsonian Institution	1	
State Street Trust Co.		2
Taylor, Charles H.		5
Willey, William Lithgow	1	
Total	31	52

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLICATIONS

The Committee on Publications reports as follows for the past year:

The Committee has selected for a frontispiece a photogravure of a pen drawing entitled "Church Green in the Early Thirties." The drawing was made for the Society by a member, William P. Bodwell, the artist. It represents the locality when it was occupied by the homes of many eminent and wealthy Bostonians and it also shows the beautiful edifice of the New South Church, which was considered the masterpiece in church architecture of Charles Bulfinch, the eminent Boston architect. The drawing also shows the tower of Trinity Church, the belfry of the First Church and the spire of Park Street Church. The other illustration shows Louisburg Square, which is still an attractive place of residence. It precedes the paper entitled "Annals of Louisburg Square," which was read before the Society in 1920 by Mr. Hobart W. Hinkley, a member.

For the Committee:

John W. Farwell, Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,
Albert Matthews, James M. Hunnewell,
The Clerk.

Charles F. Read,
Clerk.

December 31, 1925.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

The Committee on Finance herewith reports for the year 1925.

At the close of the year 1924 the Permanent Fund of the Society amounted to $78,290.89

The fund has been increased during the year by the admission fees of forty-four life members amounting to $1,310.00, three gifts of $1,000.00 each from John W. Farwell, Grenville H. Norcross and Courtenay Guild, and by an increase of $65.97 in the James Lyman Whitney Library Fund.

The Committee has purchased from uninvested funds $5,000.00 of Detroit Edison 5 per cent bonds at a cost of $4,960.00. It has also sold $10,000.00 of American Tel. and Tel. Co.'s 4 per cent bonds for the sum of $9,668.61 and bought $10,000.00 of the same company's 5 per cent bonds for the sum of $9,529.17.

At the close of the present year the Permanent Fund amounts to $82,854.36. Of this amount $79,500.00 is invested in bonds valued at par. The James Lyman Whitney Library Fund amounted to $866.59, deposited in the Franklin Savings Bank, and there is an uninvested amount deposited in the New England Trust Co. amounting to $2,487.77.

For the Committee.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS, COURTENAY GUILD,
JOHN W. FARWELL.

December 31, 1925.

PERMANENT FUND

The Society has a Permanent Fund made up from Life Membership Fees, gifts and bequests, well invested, which it is earnestly desired may be increased by addition to its Life Membership.

The Permanent Fund of the Society includes the following special gifts:

Boston Memorial Association Fund	$1,179 51
Robert C. Billings Memorial	3,000 00
Edward I. Browne Bequest	1,000 00
George O. Carpenter Memorial	1,000 00
Benjamin H. Dewing Bequest	100 00
John W. Farwell Gift	1,500 00
Courtenay Guild Gift	1,000 00
Curtis Guild Memorial	1,000 00
James F. Hunnewell Memorial	1,000 00
Grenville H. Norcross Gift	1,000 00
Lucy A. Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Otis Norcross Centennial Memorial	1,000 00
Catherine P. Perkins Bequest	4,000 00
Caroline F. Sanborn Bequest	2,000 00
Samuel E. Sawyer Bequest	4,610 87
Joseph H. Stickney Bequest	1,000 00
Joseph C. Storey Bequest	2,000 00
William B. Trask Bequest	500 00
James L. Whitney Library Fund	861 45
Robert C. Winthrop, Jr., Bequest	3,000 00

FORM OF BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to the BOSTONIAN SOCIETY, in the City of Boston, the sum of.....dollars for the general use and purpose of the said Society.

Charles F. Read, *Treasurer;* in account with the Bostonian Society

Current Account

Dr.				Cr.		
1925				1925		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 90 33		Dec. 31	Salaries	$5,810 00
	Balance in Petty Cash	15 00			Committee on the Rooms; care of rooms, electric lighting and miscellaneous	908 69
Dec. 31	574 Assessments	2,870 00			Committee on the Library; clerical work, binding and miscellaneous	63 85
	Commonwealth of Massachusetts	1,500 00			Committee on Publications; Annual Proceedings	422 26
	Marine Museum	779 71			Printing	403 65
	From Income of Permanent Fund	3,674 65			Postage	323 00
	From Publication Account	33 00			Insurance	153 50
	Interest on Deposits	3 00			Petty Cash and Souvenir Account	302 91
	Gifts from Frank G. Webster and others	135 00			Publications; Series 2, Volume 4	350 00
	Petty Cash and Souvenir Account	265 02			Miscellaneous expenditures	707 37
	Sales of duplicate engravings and photographs	149 50			Balance in the New England Trust Co.	69 98
		$9,515 21				$9,515 21

Permanent Fund

Dr.			Cr.		
1925			1925		
Jan. 1	Balance in the New England Trust Co.	$ 2,990 27	Dec. 31	Investments bought	$14,460 00
	Forty-four Life Membership Fees	1,310 00		Accrued interest	67 36
	Income of Permanent Fund	3,742 01		Income to Current Account	3,674 65
	Investments sold	9,047 50		Balance in the New England Trust Co.	2,487 77
	Gifts from John W. Farwell, Grenville H. Norcross and Courtenay Guild, $1,000.00 each	3,000 00			
		$20,689 78			$20,689 78

James Lyman Whitney Library Fund

Dr.

1925 Jan.	1	Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank, of which $783.48 was principal and $17.14 was income	$800 62
Dec.	31	New England Trust Co., as trustee	77 97
		Interest	37 19
			$915 78

Cr.

1925 Dec.	31	Purchase of books	$ 49 19
		Balance in the Franklin Savings Bank, of which $861.45 was principal and $5.14 was income	866 59
			$915 78

The Permanent Fund of the Society is invested in the following bonds:

Massachusetts 3½%	$8,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4%	3,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 4½%	2,000 00
Boston and Maine R. R. 6%	1,500 00
American Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	10,000 00
N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R. 4%	2,000 00
United Electric Securities 5%	5,000 00
New England Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	2,000 00
Dominion of Canada 5%	10,000 00
Pennsylvania R. R. 7%	2,000 00
New York Telephone Co. 6%	2,000 00
Western Tel. and Tel. Co. 5%	2,000 00
Mass. Gas Co. 4½%	4,000 00
Kansas City Terminal 4%	5,000 00
Missouri Pacific R. R. 4%	5,000 00
Chicago Junc. and U. S. Y. 5%	5,000 00
Adirondack Lt. & Pow. Co. 6%	4,000 00
Pacific Gas & Elec. Co. 5½%	2,000 00
Detroit Edison, 5%	5,000 00
	$79,500 00

The undersigned, of the Committee on Finance of the Bostonian Society, having examined the Treasurer's accounts for the year 1924 and the vouchers therewith presented, hereby certify to the correctness of the same.

They have also examined the securities of the Society and find them correct, according to the Treasurer's statement.

GRENVILLE H. NORCROSS,
COURTENAY GUILD.

January 13, 1926.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

The Committee which was appointed to nominate Officers of the Bostonian Society for the ensuing year begs to report that it has attended to its duty and proposes the following candidates:

For Directors

Charles H. Taylor, Joseph G. Minot,
John W. Farwell, Henry W. Cunningham,
Grenville H. Norcross, Fitz-Henry Smith, Jr.,
Courtenay Guild, William Q. Wales,
Nathaniel T. Kidder.

For Clerk and Treasurer

Charles F. Read.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

William O. Comstock,
William D. Brigham,
Henry M. S. Aiken,
Daniel B. Badger,
Winthrop Wetherbee,
Nominating Committee.

January 11, 1926

ANNALS OF LOUISBURG SQUARE

By Hobart W. Winkley, *Clerk of the Proprietors*

Blackstone seems to be the logical name which should have been given to our Square instead of Louisburg, since it forms part of the "Blackstone Lot" so-called. This lot of six acres which that gentleman reserved for his own use and residence, after having conveyed the rest of his holdings to the Town of Boston, is probably the location where he first settled, so that here is the oldest civilized residential part of our city.

Nathaniel B. Shurtleff says in his "Topographical Description of Boston" that "within the recollection of many of the old residents of the Westerly slope of Beacon Hill, a large spring poured a bountiful supply of water, not far from the center of the grass plot of Louisburg Square. This was unquestionably the identical spring that yielded its benevolence to Mr. Blackstone and was the earliest inducement that led the fathers of the town to the peninsula. Until Beacon Hill, or rather that portion of it sometimes designated as Mount Vernon, was removed, the spring continued to flow, and gave in bounteous streams its pure and soft water. It was about eight feet above high water mark, and in its latter days had three outlets."

Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale used to say that every resident of Louisburg Square claimed to have the original Blackstone spring in his cellar.

Nathaniel I. Bowditch, the great conveyancer, writes: "Anne Pollard proves that he (Blackstone) sold his reserved acres to Richard Pepys. This six acres commonly called the 'Blackstone lot' is traced from Pepys in 1655 through Nathaniel Williams to Barrister, 1709, and through Copley to the Mount Vernon Proprietors, and it bounds S. on the Common, W. on the river."

Mr. Bowditch also writes: "Charles Street was, in 1804, laid out along the water's edge, and in the cellar of one of the houses easterly of that street (set off to the late Benjamin Joy, one of the Mount Vernon Proprietors) is a copious spring, which was doubtless Mr. Blackstone's."

LOUISBURG SQUARE

Again we have from Shaw's "Description of Boston" on page 103: "Blackstone's spring is yet to be seen (1800) on the *westerly* part of the town, *near the bay which divides Boston from Cambridge.*"

Louisburg Square (for which three spellings of the name are found, viz., Louisburg, Louisburgh and Louisbourg, and which is said to be named for the capture of Louisburg by the Provincial troops under Pepperell in 1745) occupies a part of the former twenty-acre pasture of John S. Copley, the great American artist, which was sold by him through his agent, Gardner Greene, in 1796 about twenty years after Copley had taken up his residence in England.

Eighteen thousand four hundred and fifty dollars was the price which the whole pasture brought, or about two cents per foot. It is said that a record title of only two and one-half of these acres could be found. The purchasers were the Mt. Vernon Proprietors, consisting of Jonathan Mason, Harrison Gray Otis, Benjamin Joy and Henry Jackson; Mason and Otis each holding three-tenths of the shares and Joy and Jackson each two-tenths.

Subsequently William Sullivan appears to have acquired Henry Jackson's shares, as in the plan made of this land William Sullivan's name appears instead of Jackson's. This plan, showing the land divided into lots and the owners of each lot specified, was made some thirty years afterward by S. P. Fuller, Surveyor. It is dated April 10, 1826.

In the Suffolk County records, we find a paper reading thus: "This Indenture of four parts made and concluded this first day of June in the year of our Lord 1826 by and between Harrison G. Otis, John Mason, Benj. Joy and William Sullivan, Esqs. all of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and the State of Massachusetts, Witnesseth: Whereas the above named parties are before the ensealment of these presents, seized in fee as tenants in common of sundry pieces or lots of land, situated at said Boston in the westerly part thereof on the slope of what is known by the name of Mt. Vernon, and bordering on Pinckney Street, Cedar or George Street and on Sumner formerly called Olive Street, which pieces of lots of

land are delineated on the annexed plan and which are hereinafter particularly described and which pieces or lots of land they have agreed to divide between them, so that each of the said parties may hold his part thereof in severalty to him, his heirs and assigns forever, as is hereafter particularly expressed and declared."

On this plan which includes adjacent lots to those which form Louisburg Square, the ownership of the several proprietors is designated by four letters, one for each proprietor as follows: A for Otis, B for Mason, C for Joy, and D for Sullivan.

Four months after the date of this first indenture, on September 1, 1826, a partition Deed and Covenant was made and entered into between Mason, Otis and others for a square or open space and for streets parallel. The part designated as a square to be surrounded by an open fence or railing. The dwelling houses to be erected to be of brick or stone and none other than dwelling houses allowed on either side of the square or in front of the lots on Pinckney Street, which faces the square and which are numbered 29 to 35 inclusively. Reference is made to "another plan of the elevation of houses proposed to be built on said square."

Not until eight years after 1826, or in 1834, was the building of houses begun. The first to be built was that at the upper corner of the Square and Pinckney Street. From Harrison Gray Otis, the lot of land on which this house stands, was purchased by John Clark, Gentleman, on August 20, 1834, so says the deed. This was one of the few cases where the original owner and builder of his house purchased directly from an original owner of the land.

In many cases the land was sold either by heirs of the original proprietor, or it was sold to contractors or "housenwrights" and "master builders," as they were then called, who subsequently sold the houses which they had built, or in other instances there would be many transferences from the first owner of the land to the first owner and occupant of the house.

For this corner lot Mr. John Clark pays Harrison Gray Otis $2,090.00, and six days after gives a mortgage for $4,000.00 to an insurance company in which he assigns "parcel

of land together with brick house to be built thereon." Houses now numbered 7 and 9, built respectively by Sampson Reed, Esq., and Rev. Thomas Worcester on land bought from William Sullivan, were built in the following year, 1835.

The same builder erects the house on the lower corner of the Square and Pinckney Street in the same year, 1835, and on July 30th, conveys it to "Lydia White, singlewoman." He buys the land from Otis. Eight years afterward Miss White sells to Sarah B., wife of Josiah H. Adams, for $15,000.00.

Twelve or thirteen years elapse before the last houses are built; these oddly enough are at the opposite or Mt. Vernon Street end of the Square. These lots and houses are transferred through many names before their occupants possess them. For example, the purchaser of the lot on the lower corner of Mt. Vernon Street and the Square who erects the house pays $6,095.00 to Dr. John C. Warren, who buys from the original owner, Jonathan Mason. Then he, Thomas H. Perkins, Jr., of Brookline, sells land with new brick dwelling house to James P. Higginson on October 20, 1847, for $22,-500.00. In the latter deed reference is made to "Lot B, No. 2 on a plan of Mt. Vernon Lands," "Lot B," of course, referring to Jonathan Mason's land.

The difference of width of the present houses is accounted for by the fact that many of the original lots which were nearly equal were broken up, making the narrowest houses, in most cases, come next to the widest.

At the present time, there is but one instance of a relative of an original inhabitant occupying that house. This is in the case of house No. 5. In 1841, this house was built by Oliver Downing, according to contract, on the northerly part of Lot C, No. 5, and was conveyed, together with the land, by Harrison Gray Otis to "Eliza Goodwin, Gentlewoman." (This is one of the cases where the original lots changed ownership, as "Lot C" means Benjamin Joy.) This gentlewoman's niece, Mrs. Alexander I. Wadsworth, now lives in this house.

Another unique instance of occupancy was that of the late Miss Elizabeth Reed, who was born in house No. 7 which her father, Sampson Reed, Esq., built in 1835, and who lived

there over eighty years, dying in 1918. Her brother, Rev. James Reed, who now lives at his house, No. 12, as a very young child was brought to this home of his father's.

House No. 13, which is one of the block of four swell fronts on the upper side, was occupied practically all his life, almost eighty years, by the late Robert M. Pratt, Esq., whose father, George W., bought the land and new house, when the son was a small child, from H. G. Rice, who bought the lot of land from William P. Mason, Jr., relative of the original owner Jonathan.

Other than these mentioned individuals, there are no family representatives of the original occupants of the Square.

No. 13, therefore, which was bought in 1917 by Mr. George Foote, had not been transferred since 1839—seventy-eight years. Mr. Foote's little son, born in 1918, seems to have been the first birth in the house.

The first conveyance of the Sampson Reed house, No. 7, took place in 1918, in which year it was again conveyed to the present owner, Mr. Greenwood, eighty-three years after it was built.

All the houses in the Square, with the exception of the two large ones at the upper corner of Mt. Vernon Street and the large one at the lower corner, now numbered 1, 3 and 2 respectively, having been built, Proprietors Indenture and Articles of Agreement were made on July 8, 1844, whereas Samuel A. Dorr, James H. Adams and John Clark were appointed the first Committee of Proprietors. Its object being to "enlarge and adorn said Square for the mutual advantage and enjoyment of said parties being such owners." To this was evidently annexed a plan for the guidance of the Committee in this extension and enlargement. "The said Square shall in its enlarged form continue and forever remain for the general advantage and common use of all said parties," etc. The expense thus incurred, if voted by a majority of the Proprietors, was not to exceed $150.00 for the owner of each lot. And it was ruled that hereafter from time to time as a majority of the owners or a committee chosen from among them shall determine, each owner shall pay an equal proportion toward the

expenses of the Square. All conveyances of property to be made subject to these articles of agreement.

Payments are to be made within ten days after notice of such assessment is given by the committee or person deputed to collect them. Other than this there seems to be no reference to the office of Treasurer.

Meetings of Proprietors "may from time to time be called by any three or more of them, by a notice in writing left three days previously at their respective dwelling houses or at the post office." A majority of those present having power of effective and binding vote.

A clerk shall be appointed as often as the Proprietors see fit, to keep "a record of the Votes and doings of all meetings."

To this Proprietor's Indenture are appended the signatures of the same. It is dated almost a month after the first recorded meeting of the Proprietors. This meeting was held June 17, 1844, at the house of Mr. Clark, the first one to be built, on a Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Seven Proprietors attended this meeting of whom Mr. Gibbs was appointed Chairman and Mr. Clark, Secretary. The objects of this meeting, as the Chair explained, were to consider the "widening of the mall in the Square, and surrounding the same with a new fence or railing." For this purpose a committee of three, namely John Clark, Joseph H. Adams and Samuel A. Dorr, was elected "to adopt some plan of alterations, with estimates of the same," to be submitted to the Proprietors at a subsequent meeting for their adoption.

This committee evidently drew up the Proprietor's Indenture and Articles of Agreement, as has been seen, but no reference to doing so is made in the meeting's record.

From the subsequent sixty-nine meetings of the Proprietors, will be drawn for this paper the salient points of interest. At the next meeting the committee were "requested to have an estimate made for an Iron Fence around the mall on the Square not to exceed two feet beyond the present enclosure."

At an adjourned meeting held a week afterward, a plan was adopted to enlarge the mall ten feet in length and eight feet in

width, and to surround the same by an iron fence, the estimate of the cost of which being appended to the plan.

On December 31, 1846, nine Proprietors appear at a meeting to hear and vote upon the report of the new fence. At this meeting we read of a Treasurer's Report for the first time. It showed a balance left after the completion of the iron fence of $85.14. This balance was voted to "remain in the hands of the Treasurer for future expenses in relation to the Square and Mall."

At this meeting, twenty years and almost four months after the Partition Deed of the Square was made, and about two years after the completion of most of the houses, the question of numbering was acted upon, and it was voted to have the odd numbers, as they are now, on the upper side, beginning with Mr. Appleton's house on the upper corner of Mt. Vernon Street as No. 1, and the even numbers in the same order on the lower side.

It was at this meeting that the forming of a "standing committee should be chosen to have general supervision of the Mall and Streets of the Square, and to appropriate the funds of the Proprietors now in the Treasurer's hands as they may deem expedient, and to remain in the discharge of their duties from one year from date hereof and until others shall be chosen in their stead. Whereupon it was voted that Messrs. Francis Welch, Jesse Shaw, Nathan B. Gibbs, Jr., and B. Franklin Burgess be that Committee and that the latter gentleman act as Treasurer."

Mr. Joseph Iasigi, who then owned and lived in house No. 3, in a letter dated November 1, 1849, "asks leave of the proprietors of Louisburg Square to place at the south end of the Square a statue of Aristides the Just that he has received from Florence, towards the expense of which several neighbors are willing to contribute. If any proprietor wishes to see the statue," Mr. Iasigi continues, "before giving his assent for the erection of it in the Square he will oblige Mr. Iasigi by calling at his store No. 36 Central Wharf where it can be seen."

This letter was sent sixty-eight years, one month and a day after its date to the present Clerk of the Proprietors of Louis-

burg Square, by Mr. Iasigi's youngest daughter, Miss Mary V. Iasigi. The signatures of twenty-three Proprietors are appended to it.

The object of the next meeting, held October 7, 1850, was "the erection of a fountain and some statuary." This, "having been discussed, it was *Voted* that the fountain should be constructed and completed as proposed and that the statue of Columbus should be procured and placed upon the Square." At this meeting a model of the fountain was evidently presented. For its erection and also to procure the statue, a committee was appointed consisting of Joseph Iasigi, Thomas Lord and John Clark. This work was to be done with "as little delay as possible." This committee's report was read by the Chairman, John Clark, at the next meeting, January 9, 1852, and was accepted.

The Treasurer, Benjamin F. Burgess, at this meeting was empowered to make an assessment of $5.00 on each Proprietor "to pay the balance due the Committee and to meet the current expenses of the ensuing year." This is the first we hear of a regular assessment.

The votes at this meeting are interesting.

"*Voted:* that Thos. Lord, George W. Pratt and Francis W. Sayles be a committee to take into consideration the expediency of closing the avenues through the Square in order to perpetuate the legal rights of the Proprietors to the same and to do and perform all such acts in the premises as they may deem necessary for the purpose; also to confer with the City Authorities in relation to continuing the supply of water for the fountains." Whether the plural was a slip of Mr. Clark's pen or not may be conjectured, but apparently the committee for that purpose was only authorized to erect one fountain.

Another vote of this meeting reads: "That no boy or boys be allowed to enter the enclosure of the Square on any pretext whatever, nor be permitted to injure or meddle with any of the embellishments of the same, and that all the Proprietors be a committee with powers to enforce the rule." This rule has often been violated, and once to the detriment of one of the "embellishments," namely Columbus' statue. On one oc-

casion a small boy, who had knocked off a forefinger of that illustrious gentleman, was so frightened that he ran down Pinckney Street and flung it into the river. That was before the days of the embankment when the river flowed just back of the houses on the west side of Brimmer Street.

Pursuant to the vote on closing the avenue, we find that almost four years afterward, under date of November 2, 1855, a notice was sent to the Board of Aldermen of the City of Boston, notifying them that fences had been placed across the streets of the Square that day "to preserve the right of the Proprietors in and to said property and to prevent said Square and streets being dedicated as Public property." Here is the first record which we find of thus closing the roadways of the Square. The second time was in November, 1875, when the fences remained up for three days. In August, 1895, notices were posted on the corners and at the center of the Square by a deputy sheriff, for six successive days, and this notice was also recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds, thus making any further action of this kind unnecessary.

On April 16, 1856, over four years after the previous meeting, votes were passed to paint the fence, "that the Reservoir in the center of the Square be filled with earth and planted with flowers and that the necessary paving be done." The assessment is raised to $10.00 to defray the expense of the care and improvement of the Square.

As successor to Mr. Benjamin F. Burgess, who receives a vote of thanks "for his valuable services as Treasurer of the Proprietors," Mr. Samuel F. McCleary is chosen. Mr. McCleary was then holding office as the first City Clerk of Boston. His house was No. 81 Pinckney Street, which he bought of William F. Otis, heir of Harrison Gray Otis, in 1852. He was chosen both Clerk and Treasurer.

"*Voted:* that all deeds and papers and records of the doings of the Proprietors be collected and preserved in a Book, which is also to be used for further transactions." This same book is being used today, almost sixty-four years afterward. The next entry in it, after the record of the meeting of April 16,

1856, is a list of the Proprietors and the corresponding number of each one's house.

The name of Peter Harvey, Esq., of 86 Mt. Vernon Street, appears on this list, and against his name is written "contributes amt. of assest." According to Mr. Robert M. Pratt, Mr. Harvey said he enjoyed the benefit of the Square and so thought he should contribute to its support.

The very next list, or that under date of May 1, 1857, shows many changes in the householders of the Square.

At the meeting of April 22, 1857: "On motion of Mr. Benjamin F. Hallett, it was ordered that the third Wednesday in April of each year be selected and established as the time for holding an *Annual* Meeting of the Proprietors, until otherwise ordered, and that the Clerk be authorized to call such meetings at the proper times."

The third Wednesday of April continued to be the date of the Annual Meetings until a motion made by a subsequent Proprietor, Dr. J. T. Heard, at the meeting held at his house, No. 20, on April 19, 1882, to change the date to the last Wednesday in February, which change has obtained to the present.

The first *Annual Meeting*, then, was held at 81 Pinckney Street, on April 21, 1858, at which eight Proprietors were present, namely Messrs. Clark, Adams, Walker, Hallett, Hilton, Reed, Harvey and McCleary.

In 1860, the offices of Treasurer and Clerk were separated, and have remained so ever since. Mr. Nathaniel Walker was appointed Treasurer and Mr. George W. Pratt, Clerk. This office Mr. Pratt held for the next ten years. "The Clerk was requested to forward the vote of thanks to Mr. McCleary . . . for his very valuable services." After this, Mr. McCleary's name disappears from the records. This is one of the many instances where votes of thanks were taken for the retiring officers or committees.

In 1861 "A committee was appointed with full powers to provide police and use such means as they may think proper to secure the quiet of the Square." In 1866, the subject of again having a fountain seems to be in the minds of the Pro-

prietors, but after inquiring about water for its use in case one were erected, nothing seems to have come of it.

The first long period of service to be noted was that served by William Hilton, Esq., who was Treasurer for sixteen years, and who resigned in 1870. At this meeting "Mr. Fenno was requested to call upon the Proprietors and obtain their opinions concerning the change in the position of the lamp posts." These used to be around the fence.

Upon Mr. George W. Pratt's resignation in 1871, Mr. William P. Kuhn was chosen his successor, and with the exception of three years, when Dr. J. T. Heard acted pro. temp., remained so for nineteen years.

At the meeting of April 19, 1876, "Mr. Minns referred to the recent decease of Mr. Pratt, and on his motion, it was resolved "that we deeply regret the absence of Mr. George W. Pratt, in whose decease the Proprietors of Louisburgh Square lose from their number one who took an active part in all matters relating to the interests of this neighborhood, and by his genial qualities endeared himself to his Associates." Referring to Mr. Pratt's "genial qualities," the writer would here recall his boyish memory of seeing Mr. Pratt place fresh flowers, done up in bunches, upon the side stones of his front steps that the school children in passing might take them. These flowers were grown at Mr. Pratt's place, "Oakley," at Watertown.

In 1877 we first read of delinquencies of Proprietors in paying their assessments. Five years later a compromise was voted on a twenty-five dollars arrears of one of them, and in 1883, it was voted that a note of $72.14 with interest given by the other delinquent be returned, as it was represented that the Proprietor was unable to meet the obligation.

These are the only two instances where assessments have not finally been paid. In one instance, in particular, a great deal of bother was had, council was resorted to, and many years elapsed before said Proprietor paid his obligation, but in the end he did so.

Previous to 1884 for many years the roadways were watered by a long hose attached to a hydrant within the fence, and some of the present Proprietors doubtless remember "Old

Reardon," as he was called, and afterward his son, laying the hose around the Square and sprinkling its roads. After this date the Committee being unable to obtain from the city the use of its water, the scheme of sinking a drive well was considered together with a pump. But this scheme was abandoned. In the following year, we read that watering carts had done the work at an expense of $150.00. This mode of watering was continued for many years.

The meeting of February 22, 1898, was marked by the presence of ladies for the first time. These were Mrs. Wells and Miss Dennie of 81 and 79 Pinckney Street, respectively, and Mrs. Alexander Wadsworth of No. 5 the Square. Three years later, the sole instance of a lady serving on the Committee is recorded, when Mrs. Charles R. Cummings, then owner of No. 9, was elected. No lady officer has ever served, though at the meeting in 1912, Mrs. Dwight Prouty was nominated and unanimously elected for Chairman, but immediately resigned. The only outside guest ever recorded at a meeting was Miss Mary V. Iasigi, who was invited to the 1918 meeting, at which her father's letter was shown.

"On motion of Dr. J. T. Heard," at the meeting in 1925, "it was voted that the reading of the Treasurer's report be dispensed with, each Proprietor having received a copy of the same." Here is the establishment of the custom which now prevails.

About this time there had been rumors of the erection of a station of the Boston Elevated Railway at the corner of the Square and Mt. Vernon Street, to serve a projected tunnel line along the river side. For the protection of the Square, the Committee was asked to act, even to the employment of council if necessary.

At one time the city encroached on the privacy of the Square to the extent of erecting at this corner a voting booth, but after being charged a good rent for the same, they ceased to place it there.

Before the end of the year 1906, the Proprietors had lost by death their Treasurer, Alexander Wadsworth, Esq., their former Treasurer, Dr. John T. Heard, and their long-time

Clerk, Benjamin B. Williams, Esq. For seventeen successive meetings Mr. Williams had acted as Clerk, and had been twenty-three times on the Committee. By these regrettable deaths Mr. Robert M. Pratt was left the only member of the Committee. He called a special meeting for the purpose of electing a Clerk and Treasurer. This meeting was held at the house of Rev. James Reed, No. 12, on December 17, 1906. Mr. Hobart W. Winkley was elected Clerk, and Mr. Henry R. Heard Treasurer. Mr. Heard remained in this office for eleven years, the longest term as Treasurer ever held. He resigned to volunteer in the service of the United States in the World War.

In the spring of 1907, three young elm trees were planted to take the place of old ones which were dying. These were placed in front of houses Nos. 3, 9, and 12, the beautiful one in front of No. 3 having been broken by the wind during a bad storm.

At the meeting of 1912, a vote of thanks to Mr. Pratt was taken, for his generosity in having the upper roadway paved at his own expense.

Among other matters of work reported by the Committee at the 1913 meeting was that "the cistern at the southern end of the lower roadway was satisfactorily filled and the roadway itself repaired."

According to Shurtleff's History, "After Boston became a City, many large reservoirs were dug in the principal squares and broad streets, chiefly for containing water for use in case of fire," and undoubtedly this one was a fire reservoir. It used to be closed by a wooden cover, in which was a large iron ring, until, at the request of the Committee, it was filled by the city.

About this time a dead tree was removed from in front of No. 10 and an English elm substituted.

Unlike its predecessors, when this old tree was removed, it was not sawed and split on the green where it fell and its wood distributed among the Proprietors.

Between the meetings of 1914 and 1915, the two statues had been cleaned and another new tree had been set out. New "Private Way" signs had been placed on three of the corner

houses of the Square, none being put on the northwest corner, as the owner of that house objected, these new signs being placed sixty years after the first closing of the roadway.

The 1916 meeting was probably the shortest one ever held. It was twenty minutes long. At it, the setting out of another English elm to supplant an old one was reported.

At present there are an equal number of old and young trees.

On January 9, 1917, the Proprietors of Louisburg Square sustained a heavy loss by the death of Robert M. Pratt, Esq. He had served on the Committee for thirty-six consecutive years, with the exception of three,—from 1881 till his death. As Chairman he had presided at twelve meetings.

His father had served continuously for over twenty years, till his death.

When during the last years of the 18th and the first of the 19th centuries, Beacon Hill was cut down, about 60 feet was removed from its summit, and the level of Louisburg Square was reduced about 15 feet.

It was not until after all the houses had been built that in 1848 Cochituate water was introduced into Boston. Each house either had its own pump in the back yard or one shared by two neighbors, using one well. Each house also had its cistern. These wells and cisterns presumably now are all filled. Although before the introduction of Cochituate water, Jamaica Pond supplied water to Boston, it is to be doubted whether many private houses were supplied with it.

Four pitch pine logs brought the water from thence, and one extended as far as the Massachusetts General Hospital, which is said to have been supplied in this way. The spring which was located in the central enclosure of the Square is said by Dr. Nathaniel B. Shurtleff to have "furnished water for the negro washerwomen, who frequented the neighborhood of the springs, where they were wont to have their cleansing tubs, feeling very little concern whether the Jamaica Pond aqueduct should give out or not." This story of the use of Louisburg Square spring has also been told to other Proprietors besides the writer, by the late Robert M. Pratt, Esq., of house No. 13.

The statues are claimed to be the first to be erected to indi-

viduals in Boston, according to Robert Shackleton. For a number of years, the Italians from the North End, on Columbus Day, have placed a wreath at the base of his statue. Aristides the Just's statue used often to be decorated by students of the M. I. T. who for several years occupied house No. 6 as a clubhouse and who, on the morning after they had taken part in a torchlight procession, would dress this statue in cap and gown!

Besides this instance of a clubhouse, there have been other cases of changes of use from private dwelling houses. The most marked has been conversion of houses Nos. 15, 17 and 19 into a convent. In 1882, the Society of St. Margaret bought these houses and maintained a hospital, connecting the houses by doors, but not altering the outsides. They, also, in the large back yard of No. 19, built a chapel whose side wall is on Pinckney Street. They rented No. 2 on the opposite side for a time. After discontinuing the hospital, the Society, in the year 1907, planned a large convent and wished to make of their properties one large building with an appropriate front. Objection being made to this by the Proprietors, the Society maintained the outward appearance of three houses, but behind the walls, threw them into one large building. The stud was so changed that the windows are on different levels from formerly. The front doorways of Nos. 15 and 19 were built up and the front steps of No. 19 were removed. The doorway of No. 17 was made into an imposing entrance and serves for all three houses. The chapel was enlarged.

In house No. 10 were spent the last years of the lives of A. Bronson Alcott, the Concord sage, and his daughter, Louisa M. Alcott, the story writer, as tenants. On March 4, 1888, Mr. Alcott died there, and on the day of his funeral, Miss Alcott died in a hospital to which she had been removed.

William Dean Howells, the novelist, at one time occupied as tenant, house No. 4.

House No. 20 was the scene of the wedding of Jenny Lind, the famous Swedish soprano, to her accompanist, Otto Goldschmidt, a musical conductor and composer. This was on February 5, 1852, when she was thirty-two years old, and her husband about nine years younger. The Boston agent for

Jenny Lind's London bankers, Samuel G. Ward, Esq., was the owner of this house, and it was during the singer's American tour that he extended his hospitality to her. It may be of interest to note here that the "Swedish Nightingale" sang in the hall over the old Fitchburg Railroad station, which at that time was the largest in Boston.

Over half a century after this event, the same house comes into prominence by its figuring in the scenes of a moving picture. On these steps stood Mrs. Fiske, the English actress, and William Wadsworth, impersonating Becky Sharp and Joseph Sedley respectively. In order to obtain a setting in the Square that would resemble the famous Russell Square in London, a moving picture company came from New York. Mr. Henry Heard of No. 20 played the part of coachman, and in blue and white livery drove the carriage containing these characters of Thackerey's around the Square. This was on August 10, 1915, and the Square besides being gay with the colored costumes of a bygone day was surrounded by curious spectators.

The oldest house at No. 19 was owned and occupied for seventeen years by the Civil War Mayor of Boston, Frederick W. Lincoln, who probably held that office for the longest period of any incumbent.

Louisburg Square must have had four mediums of artificial lighting during its existence, sperm oil, kerosene, gas and electricity, not to mention the pretty custom, which has obtained for over the last ten Christmas eves, of illuminating the house windows with candles.

It is sincerely to be desired that Louisburg Square shall long retain its character of quaint simplicity with its air of private, quiet restfulness which it has so long enjoyed amid the inroads of modernity.

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